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WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity — Cloudy with winds southwest 20 m.p.h. Little change in temperature.

Yesterday's Temperatures—Maximum: 40 minimum: 40 minimum on the grass: 30.

Yesterday's Rainfall—21 inch.

Yesterday's Sunshine—1 hour, 54 minutes

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Inquiry Adjourned Until Action Ends Doukhobor Strife

Commissioner Asks Legislation Ensuring Force Will Be Used

NELSON, B.C., Jan. 7 (CP.)—Judge H. J. Sullivan, special commissioner appointed by the British Columbia Government to investigate Doukhobor disturbances, said tonight he had adjourned hearings until the "situation is cleared up."

He said he could not attempt to solve differences which have kept Doukhobor sects at variance for a half-century "while the country is being blown up and burnt up."

At a meeting today with nine delegates from three sects, eight of the representatives agreed that the use of force was the only method of preventing the orgy of arson and pillaging which has kept the Kootenay Valley in a state of terror for the past seven months.

However, one delegate, Timothy Farfankil, a member of the radical Sons of Freedom sect, voiced his disapproval of force. He did not think it "would be right."

Judge Sullivan of New Westminster said after the situation "should be dealt with by emergency legislation to assure that every bit of force necessary for the purpose of restoring law and order will be utilized before other steps are taken . . .

He said he would recommend to the British Columbia Attorney-General that action be taken immediately.

Earlier today police said fused dynamite found in the ruins of a fire-destroyed school near Castlegar centre of a Doukhobor colony, provided definite evidence that the fire was the work of an arsonist.

Four Dead In Floods In Oregon

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 7 (CP.)—Four drownings were recorded today as raging Oregon floodwaters reached their crests and began to recede slightly. Some 1,400 persons were evacuated without casualty.

Those drowned were three trapped in a stalled cabin-operated ferry and a motorist whose car became mired.

Word of the triple drowning came from the Siuslaw Forest Service Station. The victims were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Larkey, caretakers at a Summer lodge, and their guest Mrs. Rose Cooper. Mrs. Cooper's husband swam for aid and was saved.

All of Western Oregon and parts of Western Washington suffered from overflowing streams.

Similar Warnings Issued On Recognizing Vafiades

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP.)—British and our United States, it was disclosed today, have taken parallel action in cautioning Yugoslavia and Bulgaria against recognizing Markos Vafiades' Communist Greek Government.

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Truman Seeks $40 Tax Cut For Individuals

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (CP.)—President Truman called today for a flat $40-a-year tax cut for individual income taxpayers and drop-dead in the United States and for higher corporation taxes to make up the resulting $2,700,000,000 loss in revenue.

He also urged that Congress "act promptly" on the four-year Marshall Plan, calling it a "vital measure of self-defence against the forces seeking the decisive contribution to world peace."

Republican leaders assailed Truman's tax cut as a surrender to Henry A. Wallace, independent Progressive candidate, and argued before they would consider the President's tax-slashing measure in favor of their own.

The president called again for the Marshall Plan and for tax revision and wage-price controls if necessary.

Forces Show Support Close

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7 (AP.)—Admiral Chester Nimitz said today that United States marine reinforcements in Tsingtao, where 3,000 marines are believed to bring a powerful ship complements to come ashore at Tsingtao, if support close at hand" to army and navy.

Nimitz referred to United States forces at Tsingtao where 3,000 marines are believed to be superior in number.

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Palestine-Bound War Material Halted

A regular sausages cartridges and a Palestine-addressed crate seized by police and United States customs men in a Bronx warehouse, recently. The crate contained heavy machinery. Among other seized items was a stencil which Police Inspector William McGowan said, was used in addressing packing cases, containing a quantity of TNT, consigned to Palestine, he discovered the same day on a Jersey City pier. Various other war material has since been discovered.

Ottawa Hears Talk of Inquiry Into Increases in Food Prices

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP.)—The prices problem, aggravated by reports of rising food costs across the country, faced again today on Canada's administrative and political fronts amid unconfirmed reports that a Government inquiry has been opened into the possibility of manipulation in food prices.

An Government officials received a steady flow of protests against the country's spiraling price structure, reports were heard that the Combines Investigation Commission is probing to determine whether some food handling organizations in both the wholesale and retail field may be boosting consumer prices unduly to take advantage of the deteriorating price situation.

Commission sources reported that A. B. Whitely, deputy commissioner, and several other officials are in Toronto where Mr. Whitely declined to confirm or deny the reports of probing into the food field.

"I have no statement to make on the matter," he told the Canadian press in a terse long distance telephone interview.

Meanwhile, another Government source pointed out that the Combines Investigation Act gives the commission authority to investigate in any case where there is suspicion of price-fixing or where it receives a complaint that there is manipulation.

This source said he presumed the commission would investigate any complaints received or seemingly meritorious prices, and other observers added their assumption that the commission must already have received a flood of protests in the light of the way food prices recently have soared.

One report current here was that the Government soon would relax import restrictions to allow a greater inflow of United States-grown vegetables, but one high official told the Consolidated Press

"You'll be going out on a very shaky limb if you predict the restrictions will be relaxed in the immediate future."

He agreed there might be spotty shortages of some vegetables but felt that supplies generally were adequate.

Nor was there any confirmation for reports that a "temporary" price ceiling might be clamped on pork and beef.

Both Agricultural Minister Gardiner and Finance Minister Abbott, the two ministers most directly concerned, were out of town.

New Type of Match Produces No Light

BUFFALO, N.Y., Jan. 7 (CANA)—A revolutionary type of match producing heat but no light in the wartime development of Canadian scientists was demonstrated this week.

The match looks like any other safety match except for the head, larger than ordinary. When it is struck there is no flame. The head generates such intense heat it immediately ignites any surface it touches, without requiring flame or light.

It can be used anywhere, even in wind of gale force.

B.C. Timber Yield Value At Highest Peak in 1947

Timber, British Columbia's leading source of wealth, last year climbed to a production value peak never before approached in the long history of logging in this province.

Computation of the value of 1947's forest harvest has yet to be completed, but officials have done enough figuring already to show it will be well in excess of $100,000,000, possibly as high as $220,000,000.

That would make it considerably more than the total value for any two years before the war, and $40,000,000 greater than the figure for 1946, previous peak year.

Based on estimates to date, value of forest production in 1947 is expected to be about $100,000,000 higher than the average for the past decade, $156,983,000.

Although war needs stepped up value of production from $88,221,000 in 1939 to $124,720,000 in 1942, it was not until 1944 that the real boom began. In that year value rose to $146,611,000, increased little the following year, then soared to $173,431,000 in 1946. When labor became available

Had it not been for the lumber strike in 1946, production value in that year would have been considerably higher.

While economists point out that increases in unit values are largely responsible for last year's huge gain in total value of production, figures released by Lands and Forests Minister F. T. Kenney yesterday also disclose enormous increase in quantity of production.

These figures are for the first nine months of 1947. They show that British Columbia's total cut in board measurement in that period was 2,876,494,795 feet. This compares with 2,171,318,554 feet in the first nine months of 1946 including the strike period.

Actual footage of poles and piles cut last year showed a marked drop, however—to 33,387,402 feet for 1947 from 120,868, but been increased to 455,023 from 378,518.

Hart Retaining Membership In Legislature

Possibility of an early by-election in Victoria disappeared when John Hart, who retired from membership of the Coalition Government December 26, indicated yesterday he would not resign his seat in the Legislature before the 1948 session.

Mr Hart, who will spend the next month in California, said he would probably attend some sittings of the House as a private member.

Beyond that, Mr Hart did not disclose his intentions.

With Mrs. Hart, his former premier will leave here Monday for a month's holiday on a ranch north of San Diego.

He said he had not yet set a date for his trip to Ottawa as president of Pacific Coast Eastern Railway board to discuss his proposals for extension of the line from Quesnel into Peace River district on a partnership basis with Dominion Government and the two transcontinental railways.

JOHN HART

Meeting Held Behind Scenes

MILAN, Italy, Jan 7 (AP.)—An unobtrusive "walkout" by foreign delegates led to speculation today that an important international Communist meeting was taking place behind the scenes of the sixth National Communist Congress.

The informal exodus from the morning session began when Palmiro Togliatti, Italian Communist leader, left his seat at the presiding committee's table. A moment later the two Soviet delegates, Pavel Judin and Vasgan Grigorian, and three of their aides walked out of the hall.

In short order they were followed by Harry Pollitt, secretary-general of the British Communist party, Maurice Thorez, the French Communist leader, and the Yugoslav, Czecho-Slovak, Bulgarian, Romanian and Hungarian delegates.

There was no indication where they went, but together they represented most of the countries participating in the Communist International Information Bureau—the Cominform—set up to co-ordinate the Communist attacks upon the Marshall plan.

Law Abolishes Leftist Activity

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 7 (CP.)—President Eurico Gaspar Dutra put into effect tonight a law abolishing the last legal vestiges of Communist activity in Brazil by removing all Communist from elective posts.

First Efforts to Rescue 780 From Sinking Ship Fail as Vessel Wallows

Aid Directed From U.S. Aircraft; Only One Lifeboat Seen Aboard

TOKIO, Jan. 8 (Thursday) (CP.)—Decks of the sinking Russian ship Divna are awash but efforts of two rescue ships to rescue her 780 passengers have thus far been futile, an American airman radioed from the scene off Northeast Japan this morning.

United States Far East Air Forces relayed the report from the pilot of a bomber circling overhead. He said a Japanese tanker and a Russian patrol boat standing by had been unable to get a line aboard the stricken ship and that waves were surging across her decks. The plane was unable to make contact with the Russians, either by radio or blinker signal, he added.

One of the earliest distress messages from the Divna—silent now for many hours—had asserted "it is necessary to remove passengers immediately." It noted that the ship was filling and that she had only one lifeboat.

A United States bomber, which first located the Divna on radar and remained aloft nearly 12 hours to direct rescue craft, landed at Yokota airbase and her pilot said the Divna appeared to be an American-built ship of the Liberty type.

Hensley said he could see ten or 12 people on deck this morning, although visibility was poor. He said the ship listing at a 20-degree angle. Previous reports estimated it at 40 degrees.

The bomber remained over the ship after Hensley's return, and five Japanese-manned ships were steaming to the scene. The weather was reported moderating.

The Russian ship mystified American officers here. Some knew she was in the area, what characters she carried or her destination. Certain authorities said she could not be repatriated Japanese from one Kuril Islands of Japan, since Russia suspended that operation until Spring and since no boats have been remained over the Soviet Embassy official here said he knew nothing about the ship.

BULLETINS

Fire Spreads

CALGARY, Jan. 7 (CP.)—Fire tonight was threatening to destroy a large mattress storage warehouse owned by the Winterfield and Furniture Manufacturing Company Limited on 10th Avenue in East Calgary.

A fire department official said the fire was "pretty big."

Calls Meeting

TORONTO, Jan. 7 (CP.)—The Retail Merchants Association of Canada has announced a meeting of its national executive, food division, for Toronto, January 16 and 17, to consider what it calls "a national program of action importance—rising food costs."

Announcement of the meeting called by President George Whittle of Prince Albert, Sask., was made here tonight.

Denies Report

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP.)—G. F. Wilson, Dominion poultry inspector here, today denied a report that large shipments of Canadian eggs were being dumped on the United States Pacific Coast market.

Bomb Attack On Crowds Kills Fourteen

JERUSALEM, Jan. 7 (AP.)—Jews disguised in blue coats of the Palestine Police and driving a stolen armored car buried two bombs today into Arab crowds at ancient Jaffa Gate and nearby street intersection. A hospital report said 14 persons were killed.

Eight Arabs and two Armenians died at the gate and three Jews and one Arab were killed at the road intersection, hospital authorities said.

Two of the Jewish bombers were slain by British police bullets as they sought to escape over the stone wall of an old Moslem cemetery after the second blast buried the armored car onto a sidewalk, the statement added.

Forty-two persons were injured from the bombs and gunfire

Signing Today For U.S. Loan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (CP.)—An agreement making available to Canada a $300,000,000 loan from the Export-Import Bank will be signed here tomorrow by Finance Minister Douglas Abbott, who arrived today from Ottawa.

The Finance Minister said current measures adopted to relieve Canada's supply of United States dollars are working successfully and that he cannot say when it will be necessary to drive on the loan. Interest payments do not begin until actual withdrawals are made

Export-Import Bank regulations require that the borrower first explore the private commercial market, since the Federal institution does not compete with private lending institutions.

Scott Expects Early Use Of Gordon Head Airpark

Flying operations may soon start from the Gordon Head airpark after under its classification as an emergency landing field, W. A. Scott, spokesman for the Greater Victoria Memorial Airpark Association, said yesterday.

"The Federal Government has granted permission for the site to be used as an emergency air strip until such time as it can be developed to a state where a full license can be issued," he said.

It was understood that permission would also have to be obtained from the city, owners of the property, before such operations could be carried out

PLANS UNDER WAY

"According to Mr Scott, adding plans are now under way to lay out the field as soon as certain levelling operations are completed.

Quoting from a recent letter from W. B. Lawson, district inspector of Western Airways, Department of Transport, Mr. Scott said the field could be used "as soon as grading has been carried out.

"When this is completed," the letter read, "the site can be used by aircraft undertaking commercial work with pilots landing at their own risk. Private pilots can use the field at their own discretion, should they be desirous of visiting Victoria and do not plan to land at Sidney and be put to the expense and delay of travelling to Victoria by car.

"In other words, it is to be classified as an emergency landing field."

Mr. Scott said Mr. Lawson

While the regulations prohibit unlicensed students from flying solo, Mr Scott explained, untrained flyers may use the field in the company of a licensed instructor. Then when they are ready to solo, they must go to Patricia Bay, where they can fly until they obtain their certificate, after which they may return to Gordon Head, he said.

Zoning regulations in the municipality of Saanich would present no barrier for this use," said Mr. Scott, "but it would be necessary to get a license from the Federal Government for the full use of the field."

According to Mr. Scott, a letter from Reconstruction Minister Howe had also been received, stating that "should the citizens of Victoria and district wish to construct their own airport at Gordon Head and should such an airport be built in accordance with the requirements for licensing then a licence would undoubtedly be issued. It is entirely a matter for the owners of the property and the sponsors of the airport to decide for themselves."

Plans to Seek Speed Record

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP.)—Squin-Ldr. A. Waterton, of Ottawa, Montreal and a former member of the R.A.F., will make a new air speed attempt in a Gloster Meteor Airdrome, near Hucclecote, Gloucestershire, next Tuesday, it was announced today.

Waterton, an employee of the Gloster Aircraft Company, is one of Britain's outstanding test pilots.

Lawyers Assert Indians Late on Legal Warpath

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP.)—In a courtroom counter-attack to the Six Nations Indians and for $1,200,000 the Dominion contended today the braves took to the legal warpath many moons too late to bring home their quarry.

Firing from behind an ambuscade of piled-up law tomes, Department of Justice lawyers used the Statute of Limitations against the Redmen's claim to compensation for lands and monies lost to them in canal-building, around their reservation near Brantford, Ont.

In the high oak-panelled chamber of the Exchequer Court, tribesmen listened unemotionally while the Crown argued that the ancient claim—dating back to the 1830's—had been outlawed generations ago by the Limitations Statute

On behalf of the 8,000 Indians of the Six Nations, the tribesmen are seeking payments with compound interest—for lands taken over, or flooded in the building of the Welland Ship Canal River Canals and for $160,000 in tribal funds invested in the now-defunct Grand River Navigation Company.

The present long-drawn-out proceedings have been going on for since 1942, the year before the Indians received from the Government Crown a flat to sue the Crown. Before that, there had been intermittent attempts dating from around 1900, but the tribesmen never were able to get permission to sue.

Mr. Justice C. C. O'Connor will rule on whether a case can be taken before the Exchequer Court.

Nazi Civil Service Leaders on Trial

ERNST VON WEIZSAECKER OTTO MEISSNER RICHARD DARRE

Twenty-one top-ranking Nazi civil servants, on trial before a United States war crimes court at Nuernberg, have heard themselves described as key figures in Hitler's plans for world conquest, according to an Associated Press dispatch. Special targets of the chief prosecutor are eight foreign office executives headed by Baron Ernst von Weizsaecker. In the dock also are Otto Meissner, State Secretary under Hindenburg and Hitler, and Richard Darre, former agriculture commissioner.

Three Groups Get Blame For Most Forest Fires

Campers, travelers and careless categories caused 438, or 32 per cent of the province's 1,327 recorded forest fires.

Lightning remained the greatest single cause, accounting for 326, Other major causes were railway operation, 265; industrial operations, 164 and brush burning 81. Thirteen were established as of incendiary origin.

Loss resulting from fires was relatively low last year, however—$320,270 compared with $357,960 in 1946, and an average of $810,275 during the last ten years.

Worst in the decade was 1938, year of the great Campbell River fires when loss was estimated at $2,231,000. Other bad years were 1945, $1,643,000, and 1942, $1,236,000. Smallest year was 1943, $123,000.

Included in the figure for last year was $147,182 for forest products destroyed, $9,140 for buildings, and $69,617 for logging and railway equipment.

Highs and Lows Of the Weather

	Max.	Min.	Precip.
Montreal	21	10	.04
Toronto	19	9	.06
Winnipeg	2	20	.30
Vancouver	40	30	Trace
Regina	17	35	
Saskatoon	15	33	
Swift Current	18	31	—
Edmonton	14	30	—
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Prince Rupert	39	41	.70
Pt. Hardy	40	41	.70
Prince Rupert	39	41	.70
Victoria	42	51	.10
Seattle	42	51	.10
San Francisco	48	54	.10
Los Angeles	46	60	—

Ice Fashions at Niagara Falls

Sightseers at Niagara honeymoon capital find Winter wonderland as frozen spray from cataracts gives familiar summer appearances, such as lamp-post, above, at edge of Horseshoe Falls.

B.C. Woman Mayor Lops Own Salary

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., Jan. 7 (CP)—Mrs. Norah E. Arnold, mayor of this city, is a practical woman. She wants to fight rising civic administration costs.—Today she declined to accept $2,000 as her annual indemnity when it was offered her by the new city council.

Mayor Arnold declared $1,200 will be enough because we are going to be up against some heavy expenses this year.

Adverse Trade Balance Nears Billion for Year

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP)—The adverse balance of trade with the United States, which indicates the amount by which Canada is short of United States dollars in purchases from her Southern neighbor, took another great leap forward during November and now appears to have shot over the $800,000,000 mark for 1947.

This placed the November deficit at $79,600,000 and thus alone virtually the total for the first 11 months of 1947 to a record $884,200,000 and left the promise that the $900,000,000 ceiling will be cracked when the December trading totals are reported next month.

While it threw into sharp emphasis the continuing drain on Canada's United States dollar reserves, the November total showed a heartening decline of $8,400,000 from the October deficit of $83,200,000 but still was $21,700,000 ahead of the November, 1946, total.

However, the November figures did not reflect the effects of the Government's dollar-saving program launched November 17 since it generally was conceded that any reduction it may have brought about in imports would not have become apparent until early December.

At $884,200,000 the adverse balance—the amount Canada has to pay in American funds to cover the difference between what she buys from the United States and what the United States buys from her—now is $287,500,000 over the total for the whole of 1946.

The total amount of American dollars which the Exchange Control Board is expected to have to supply for the whole of this year is $1,200,000,000.

To meet this Canada probably will receive $350,000,000 in United States dollars from the United Kingdom in part-payment of Commonwealth adverse balances, $130,000,000 from American tourist traffic in Canada, $100,000,000 from gold shipments to the United States, and $50,000,000 from trade with European and Latin-American countries.

Seas Hamper Efforts To Aid Ships

LONDON, Jan. 7 (Reuters)—Heavy seas today hampered attempts to locate and help craft which ran into difficulties during gales sweeping Britain's coastline since the middle of last week.

Nothing has been heard of the Cardiff motor vessel Travel, 300 tons, since she sent out an S.O.S. in the Irish Sea last night, and the Isle of Man lifeboat returned to shore to refuel after a fruitless all-night search.

The United States freighter Lawrence D. Tyson was brought safely into Plymouth after a tow of more than 100 miles through heavy seas by the Falmouth tug Dexterous.

A bomb disposal squad from Plymouth removed the detonator of a floating mine which yesterday drifted close to the wrecked battleship Warspite lying on the rocks at Prussia Cove near Penzance.

Two of three ships which were overdue last night are still fast. The third, the 9,000-ton City of London, inward bound from Rotterdam, was refloated from Red Basin off Marazion on which she stuck last night.

Kirsten Jens on Cloughey Lighthouse, off the South Wexford Coast of Eire, entered their 18th day without relief or communication from the mainland. They have emergency supplies for only a few days.

BAIL REDUCED

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP)—Thomas P. Graham, 36, charged with libel in publishing alleged anti-Semitic pamphlets, was on bail reduction from $500 to $100 today through inability of prosecution to proceed with the case. Graham has spent the past week in Oakalla Prison Farm. Prosecutor Stewart McMorran requested a further week adjournment.

Says Police Fail To Stop Gambling

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP)—A Vancouver newspaper said today that gambling operations have not stopped here despite vigorous police raids in the last month.

It claimed that bookmakers have resumed operations on a scale that approaches an all-time peak, with betting on horse races a major diversion, and dice and card games flourishing.

"The boys who knock will tell you it has never been easier in stage in the downtown district that it is right now" the newspaper said. A warning was issued to bookmakers today by Magistrate Mark Rennie Matheson. Jail cells await them.

He sentenced Jeffery Bolt and Bert Small to two months in jail without option of a fine. They pleaded guilty to keeping a betting house.

The place was described as a "viewing house" for downtown gamblers.

Pictures framed for lasting pleasure by Dugon's

Welfare Procedure Told To Alberta Commission

EDMONTON, Jan. 7 (CP)—The Edmonton Children's Aid Department "may break the law at times," Frank Drayton, superintendent, today told the Royal Commission appointed by the Alberta Government to investigate welfare conditions in the province.

He was replying to a query by George Hunter, counsel for Dr. Charlotte Whitton and the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, who asked why Mr. Drayton's department permitted juveniles to be kept in detention homes before their cases were settled, when it was contrary to the Provincial Child Welfare Act.

"We may break the law at times. We do almost anything if it will help a boy get back. We don't dig into what he's done."

He said no records were kept of civic funds he used to help unmarried mothers who wished to take care of their own children.

Asked by what authority she money was spent, he said "I have been doing it for years. I have never been criticized by council for the money I've spent."

Chief Justice W. E. Hewson, chairman of the commission, voiced objection to the way in which witnesses were being cross-examined by counsel for the Alberta Government.

"When are we going to stop with these witnesses?" he said. "I see no reason why any person in Edmonton, Calgary or Lethbridge wishing to give views on child welfare should not be permitted to help this commission without the instruction he is getting now."

After observing that he appeared to be at cross purposes with the commission chairman, Mr. Hewson said:

"I am not suggesting for one moment that Mr. Drayton is not telling the truth. My purpose in cross examination has been for the sole purpose of showing how child welfare is administered in Alberta."

Many Concerned Over Food Prices

TORONTO, Jan. 7 (CP)—The off-board question of the "price spread" on farm products was revived today as farmers announced their first reaction to the new wave of food price increases.

W. E. Tummon, secretary of the Ontario Hog Producers' Association, said flatly the difference between the prices received by farmers and those paid by consumers are "too great."

Meanwhile, as meat prices—particularly those of pork and pork products—remained at new high levels, there were new expressions of concern from labor and from housewives' groups.

Beef and lamb prices were increased in many cities, fowl prices were up in Calgary and a jump in egg prices was expected in Medicine Hat, Alta.

Increased food costs were held responsible for boosts in the rates of three Ontario hospitals today and superintendents of other hospitals said more rate increases may be necessary.

See No Change In Labor Code For Parliament

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP)—Controversial provisions of the proposed new Federal labor code will be retained when it is reintroduced at the coming session of parliament, it was learned today.

The bill—first brought in at the 1947 session but dropped by the Government after two readings—is to be started again through the Commons and the 1946 version, it is learned, will be virtually unchanged from the original.

Some labor quarters—notably the 300,000-man Canadian Congress of Labor—had objected to some of its clauses.

The Government, it is understood, takes the position "the bill is a middle-of-the-road" measure and as such comes as close as possible to satisfying both employer and employee.

It will establish the labor department's authority for the certification of bargaining agents and settlement of disputes in a range of Dominion-wide and inter-provincial industries in which the Dominion's maritime jurisdiction has not been returned to the provinces.

Asks for Loan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP)—The World Bank announces today that Yugoslavia has asked for a $500,000,000 loan to aid her third country within the Russian blue to apply for a World Bank loan. Poland and Czecho-Slovakia have had loan applications in for many months. The bank has not acted on them.

WEIGHTY STATUE

The Statue of Freedom atop the dome of the U.S. Capitol at Washington is made entirely of bronze and weighs 14,985 pounds.

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MARMALADE	Aylmer, 3 Fruit, 2-lb. jar		35c
PINEAPPLE JAM	2-lb. jar		48c
PINK SALMON	Fancy, ½'s	2 tins	29c
PEANUT BUTTER	Squirrel, 24-oz. jar		59c
APPLE JUICE	Sunryse, 20-oz. tins	2 for	23c
SCRATCH COVER POLISH	10-oz. bottle		45c

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BEANS	Columbia, Choice, Cut Green, 20-oz	2 for	35c
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Y.M.C.A. Leathercraft Classes Attract Many Women

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INSTRUCTIONAL classes in the leathercraft at YMCA are growing in popularity, especially with women according to George Wee, Instructor. Class enrollment is always over 100 mark and work done by enthusiasts is of high calibre. Classes are held Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Pupils under Frank B. Allen, Mr. Allen is well known for this work and won first prize at Indoor show at Pacific National Exhibition in Vancouver last year. Those wishing to register for classes should do so immediately at "Y".

Quick Action Indicated To Form Water Board

Speedy action in developing plans for creation of a Greater Victoria water board was indicated yesterday following the first meeting of the 1948 city water committee.

Toughest and most involved problem will be setting a price on the city-owned supply system which will satisfy the City Council and prove agreeable to the contiguous municipalities.

Ald. F. N. Cabelda, committee chairman, said the committee decided to ask for a special committee meeting of the entire City Council to discuss the matter within the next two weeks.

Despite the conclusion reached last year that an appraisal of the water supply system was not practical, the committee intends to reexamine the possibility thoroughly. Both E. A. Cleveland, who conducted an investigation into water supply problems last year for the Provincial Government, and P. C. Stewart, consulting engineer, have intended that appraisal is not possible because most of the system is underground and it is extremely obsolescence.

Even so, as the Council agrees on a price, the committee plans to seek the aid of outside financial experts to assist city officials. This decision was reached because city officials are already heavily loaded with work and because of the vital importance of working out a sound financial basis for the new board, Ald. Cabelda explained.

He stressed that the committee must press efforts to reach an agreement with Oak Bay and Saanich if required legislation is to be obtained this year.

He emphasized that it was imperative that pipe be ordered and construction work begun as soon as possible.

Color Movies Shown at Club

Members of the Victoria Hard of Hearing Club last night witnessed a technicolor film showing wireless stations and lighthouses along the Pacific Coast.

The film was shown by George Lowe superintendent of construction for the Department of Transport Radio Division.

Club's annual meeting will be held in March.

Weather Slows Meat Delivery From Mainland to City Stores

Empty shelves in some of the of the high prices but nevertheless continued to buy.

Shortage of meats other than pork was due to a rumor that meat packers were holding up supplies until proposed higher prices, in line with recent pay increases, went into effect. Most butchers, however denied the rumors and gave the weather explanation for their bare shelves.

While most dealers said yesterday it was still too early to make an accurate estimate, several said they

Naden Donors Aid Red Cross

Red Cross Blood Transfusion Clinic at H.M.C.S. Naden yesterday netted more than 200 donations and officials are confident of obtaining a total similar number today.

There were many repeaters, 14 three-time donor badges being distributed and two six-time donor badges.

It is the clinic's third visit to Naden. Officials paid tribute to the sailors who were contributing to reinforce the balance at the Red Cross Blood bank, and at the same setting a lead for civilian donors.

Gordon Head Airpark Plan Wins Support

British Columbia Aviation Council executive has given its unanimous support to the establishment of the Memorial Airpark at Gordon Head, it was reported yesterday by B. J. Gadsden.

The council is planning to invite the Northwest Aviation Planning Council of the United States to hold its annual convention in Vancouver September 16 20 and 21, to be followed by the convention of the British Columbia group.

Progress was reported on long-sought reductions in aviation insurance rates.

A special committee was appointed to draw up rules governing the contest for the Day Infecy Trophy, presented to the council last year for award to aviation clubs and flying schools with the best safety record.

City Police Court

Leonard A. M. Romerio, 2510 Epworth Street, was sentenced to seven days in jail when he was convicted in city police court yesterday of being in control of an automobile while intoxicated. Romerio's driver's licence was suspended for six months. He was arrested by city police shortly after 11 p.m. on December 28 following receipt from Saanich police of a report of a hit-and-run accident on Corae Road a few minutes earlier. Accused stated in court yesterday that he could not recollect having had an accident during the evening. The front fender of his automobile was damaged when the car was stopped by police.

Charged with obtaining $7,000 from the Bellatrix Lumber Co., Ltd., by false pretences, George Clemagh, Jr., was formally committed for trial last week. He appeared in city police court yesterday. Preliminary hearing on the charge was concluded yesterday. Jack Buttan represented the accused.

Forty-five motorists were fined $1 each when they pleaded guilty in city police court yesterday of infractions of the parking meter by-law.

UNPRODUCTIVE LANDS

CANBERRA (CP)—The Commonwealth's reserve lands, Christmas Island and Ashmore Island, in the Timor Sea, taken over by Western Australia, have been found to be almost valueless.

Trades Council Aids Strikers In Edmonton

Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council will send a donation to the members of the Brewery and Soft Drink Workers who are on strike against the Canada Dry Ginger Ale Company of Edmonton.

The strike came following the company's refusal to accept a unanimous award of a board of arbitration granting a 16-cent-an-hour wage increase to employees.

Present wage scales are 47 cents an hour for women and 60 cents an hour for men. The company has offered five cents an hour increase provided the employees revert from a 44-hour week to a 48-hour week.

The council also endorsed a motion calling for support of the Canadian Legion in the demands for a better deal for pensioners of the Great and World Wars.

Following a correspondence from the National Film Board, the council is urging all affiliated unions to attend at least one of the board's films it was decided that the film "Eye Witness" would be shown at the next regular meeting.

A request from the Ontario Federation of Fire Fighters asking support of the Overseas Fire Fighters' Jubilee Fund was referred back for applying to active force men was endorsed by the council.

Stomach, Dietitians Share Belief Breakfast Most Important Meal

Had breakfast yet?

No? Well then how about a couple of fried pork chops, a little brown in the comb, some salted salmon, and a dish of stewed chicken, of course light with pickled cucumbers, topping the whole thing off with pound cake, sourkraut, gingerbread and green tea.

Probably the average Canadian trying to tack away such a combination would wake up leaking at pained with and pretty miserable.

If he woke up at all.

But early Canadian pioneers could show away that menu without batting their eyelids and some back for more, according to William L. Beales, noted historian and author of "Colonial Facts of Canadian History."

Not all our ancestors were quite so abject with knife, fork and spoon, however. Breakfast in French Canada in pioneer days frequently consisted of crusts of bread moistened in cognac. This might be called a light breakfast—as far as both bread and stomach are concerned.

Dietitians today still feel that the average person doesn't start the day off right. To them breakfast is the most important meal of the day as it actually is "breaking" a "fast" of some eight or nine hours. Normally this is the longest "between-meals" period a person spends and he should honor the occasion with just over a pound of calories.

"TROPIC BREAKFAST"

Betty Lawson, head dietitian for the Royal Jubilee Hospital, says the proper breakfast should include the equivalent of a good shot of orange juice to slide a few vitamin C's into the system. Tomato juice should be two good shots since it contains roughly one half the quantity of the precious health atoms.

Add to this a generous quantity of cereal with cream and sugar and pack away a couple of eggs and bacon between alternate chomps on toast. After this comes the piece de resistance for most breakfasters, coffee and the first cigarette.

Then a person can settle back and say "ahhh," with sincerity.

As it is, the average breakfast is a quick cup of coffee.

Breakfast clubs composed of people realizing the true merits of the gleaming table and the well-developed appetite are springing up across the continents, in the delight of many doctors and dietitians.

Their principles proclaim that the morning meal should contain as many calories as either the other meals and perhaps more than the evening meal. The stomach, they say, is never idle, and needs something to work on or it will go to work on itself—the result: ulcers.

They reiterate: You travel to work on your stomach as Napoleon's army did to a campaign—so pad it.

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Entrants Poor in Applications For Annual Bridge Tourney

Armed with clubs, spades, hearts and diamonds about 200 persons are expected to enter the annual Victoria bridge tournament sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, William Walker, chairman of the tourney, announced last night.

The first round will be held next week and partners will be contacted starting Monday. To date 90 persons have registered and according to Mr. Walker, applications are "pouring in."

Entries should be in by Saturday. Application forms are obtainable at the Junior Chamber of Commerce or at 1453 Douglas Street.

The competition is open to the population of Greater Victoria. Entries can be made as partners or singly. More than $100 in prizes will be distributed when playing ends February 21.

PRESENTATION

Giles Province was the recipient at a farewell token in the form of a handsome wallet containing new currency, presented to him on the eve of his retirement from the Federal Civil Service by a gathering of C. F. A. M. Branch employees at HMC Dockyard, Esquimalt.

BRITISH ASSOCIATION

Discussion and planning for the coming year will be carried on at the next meeting of the Canadian Scottish Regiment Association tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the Bay Street Armoury.

RHYTHM CLASSES

The 1948 classes for the Oak Bay Community Centre rhythm band will be organized at the Oak Bay Community Hall Saturday morning. It was announced yesterday by Walter Rodda, founder of the youthful organization. Membership is open to boys and girls between ages of 5 and 8, inclusive. The band will be under the directing of Bandmaster G. E. Bower.

Heart-warming rooms with pictures "Framed by Dittmar."

PLEADS GUILTY

Pleading guilty to a charge of taking an automobile without the consent of the owner William Cooper was fined $50 by Magistrate Henry C. Hall at a special session of Esquimalt Police Court yesterday. The offence took place on Sunday.

PLANNING PARTY

The New Year's party of the Victoria and District Cymric Association will be held at the home of Mrs. E. M. Hirk, 1953 Bay Street, Saturday at 8.30 p.m.

MONTHLY MEETING

Monthly meeting of the Victoria and District Chrysanthemum Society will be held at the City Hall Thursday at 8 p.m.

CRIBBAGE TOURNEY

Esquimalt Legion is starting its weekly cribbage tournament tonight at the Legion Hall, 622 Admiralty Road. All those interested are invited to attend.

"BIST ALBERTAN"

Members of the Bist Alberta Bachelors' Association will meet in the home of M. W. Dawson on Arbutus Road at 8 p.m. Friday. Wing-Cmdr. Albert Carter will preside.

Sullivan Named To College Council

Albert Sullivan, B.A., former inspector of British Columbia High Schools, has been appointed to fill vacancy on Victoria College Council.

ALBERT SULLIVAN, B.A.

raised by death last year of Dr. B. J. Willis, former superintendent of education, it was announced yesterday by Education Minister W. T. Straith.

"Mr. Sullivan's experience with the educational life of this Province makes him particularly well qualified to represent the Government on the college council, Mr. Straith said.

For many years a valued member of Education Department, Mr. Sullivan has continued to be active in community work in Victoria since his retirement two years ago.

Former Victorian Dies at Nanaimo

NANAIMO, Jan. 7—John Alfred Braden, 81, resident of Cowichan Island several months and formerly of Victoria and Errington, died in Nanaimo Hospital today.

He was born in Australia. He came to British Columbia in 1896. He is survived by one brother, E. W. Braden of Ocean Falls.

The remains rest at Jenkins Ltd. Chapel here.

Old Offenders' Stories Unavailing; Both Jailed

Two old offenders were convicted and sentenced to jail sentences when they appeared in city police court yesterday on charges of intoxication.

Both had previously pleaded guilty to the charges.

One admitted that he had been under the influence of liquor but denied that he had been found in a public place. He said he and a friend had paid for a room in a local rooming house and declared the arresting police officers must have pulled him out of bed.

Constable Albert Wilson and Lorne Shandley testified that they found the accused sitting in the lobby of the house, attired in his underwear, and with his outer garments piled on the floor in front of him.

Asked by the court if he had any witnesses to call accused stated he had had one, "but he was so drunk when I went to see him yesterday he was of no use to me."

He then charged his plea to guilty and admitted two previous convictions for the same offence.

The other stated he had had a "few drinks" but denied that he was drunk. He said he had not been lying on the sidewalk, as prosecution witnesses had stated, but had been sitting down waiting for a veterans' club to open.

"When the patrol wagon came up a policeman beckoned his finger at me and I went in and landed up here," he said, adding that he did not have to be assisted into the wagon.

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Amor de Cosmos

One of the sturdiest of British Columbia's pioneers, who stamped his character indelibly upon his day in both politics and journalism, will be honored by the Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada by the unveiling of a plaque at the Legislative Buildings on January 16 in memory of Amor de Cosmos, second Premier of this Province, and founder, publisher and editor of this newspaper under the title of "The British Colonist" on December 11, 1858.

There were few more colorful figures in the early settlement of Victoria in the days of the Crown Colony of Vancouver Island than the man who was born William Smith, but changed his name to give expression to a personal ideal. Although his Latin has been challenged, there is no doubt that he meant by it that he had a fellow feeling for humanity, and considered himself a "lover of the world." That ideal he carried with his pen and his merchant oratory into the stiffest and most crucial debate in the land. Nor was he often worsted. His voice was always for union, for co-operation.

Amor de Cosmos towered both as a statesman and as a newspaperman in times when both callings were precarious and highly individualistic. The energy, drive and enthusiasm with which he advocated his causes have remained a model to this day. A Member of the Colony Legislature of Vancouver Island, Amor de Cosmos fought for the union of the two Crown Colonies, for Confederation of Canada, and, as the inscription on the memorial plaque cites, for responsible government. He became the second Premier of an united British Columbia, and died in 1897 at the age of 72. Many "firsts" can be traced to him, including British Columbia's long case for better terms in the Union of Canada.

The acknowledged father of journalism in Western Canada, and one of the most fiery and ardent of its spokesmen for all time, Amor de Cosmos was a crusading British Columbian. He carried his colors high and never struck them, regardless of the odds. While his memory will be secure on his own courageous record, it is a graceful tribute that Canada will pay so rich a sturdy pioneer.

Seat on Council

Canada was welcomed formally to the United National Security Council last week, taking the place of Australia on that panel. Her official delegate for the seat was not ready, and the sincere tribute that was paid to this nation by Chairman Fernand Van Langenhove of Belgium was returned fittingly by Mr. L. B. Pearson, one of the most balanced and brightest minds in Canada's External Affairs Department.

"It is a great honor," said Mr. Pearson in reply to the welcome given this nation. "My country, Canada, hopes by its record on the Council to deserve the honor and to discharge its responsibilities in a way which will commend itself to its fellow members of the United Nations and its own people."

Every thinking Canadian will be wholesouled in support of that. Canada believes in peace, as in preparedness to keep it intact in an unsettled world. She is herself an example of a sparsely peopled country living beside a populous one without envy, jealousy or molestation upon either side. The "Hundred Years Peace" remains unbroken on this continent, first by the will of the people and their unshaken conviction that this is the way mankind was intended to live.

It is a high honor that has been accorded Canada in the award of a seat on the elevation Council which has in its care the preservation of the peace of the world. Canada will bring to that, we like to think, a good deal more than lip-service. There will be honest and sober conviction as well. Why Ottawa has declined to choose a delegate to take the seat is difficult to understand. Mr. Pearson himself would be an ideal selection, as he has already had his work at the initial World Conference at San Francisco to know.

The meeting of the Security Council began its third annual assembly this week. In that time, while the main aim has not yet been attained, a good deal has been done to bring human differences to the conference table and there to argue them out. It is perhaps to the future that we must look for the full benefits and results of that; but progress has been made when those who disagree will debate around a common board. May the future consolidate that gain, and widen it for the weal of mankind.

Written Off

In spite of partial disclaimer, it seems evident that the future role of Patricia Bay airport finally has been decided. Three months ago it was reported by this newspaper that the Royal Canadian Air Force would pull out of this wartime base and hand over the mission to the Department of Transport. This was denied officially by both service and civilian authorities, although it was palpable that all serious military use of the airport had ceased and other factors pointed to imminent air force withdrawal. The measures now admitted indicate that to all intents and purposes Patricia Bay will shift from a military to a commercial status. The transfer is under way and is expected to be complete by the end of March. Retention of some R.C.A.F. personnel for minor administrative duties in siding private flying will not alter the fact that main control of the field has passed to non-military hands.

The move will be regretted by most people in this area, even though official denials did not hide its likelihood. The loss to Sidney business circles through the evacuation of a major R.C.A.F. activity may in time be recouped by the development of the airport as a commercial flying base. What will not be in the training and defensive picture of this area. It means that perhaps the best airport in Canada for purposes of combined military training and operation, a station with year-round flying facilities, is going out of military action. One trusts that the wisdom of such a short-sighted policy will not be put seriously to the test under what might then be adverse circumstances.

It is idle to imply that the transfer is of only limited importance, and that a return to full air force control could be re-negotiated if desired. That is merely sugar-coating the pill in the abandonment of Patricia Bay as military centre. In a year or two's time the airport will be unrecognizable from a service station if used primarily for commercial aircraft. It would cost another fortune to recreate it for air force purposes, and already it represents a $4,000,000 investment. What is more, it would be idle to suppose that a nation like Canada can ill afford to be without. Unless it is that Vancouver Island has been written off in the view of any forced emergency. It has not gone unnoticed that Western headquarters of the R.C.A.F., once located here and hurriedly withdrawn to Vancouver after Pearl Harbor, are now fixed at Edmonton. How easily, and with what amazing complacency, does the Dominion Government slash the military defences of the country.

Behind the Curtain

Even discounting mysterious stories of five "Stalins" being examined for heat trouble for years past, the report this morning of a Swedish cancer specialist to Moscow to treat an unknown patient, there might well be some foundation for the report that the Russian Prime Minister is seriously incapacitated. Mr. Stalin has been more or less out of the international picture for some time. National birthday celebrations during the last two years, at which it would be normal for him to appear, have been observed without his presence. Other prominent Soviet dignitaries have substituted for him at the radio, or read his addresses in public. It has been in the background to a degree that would be unusual for the Russian leader were he in full health and strength and still in major control of Soviet policies.

The Western press has concentrated to less in much about such things. The physical state and political status of Western leaders are always an open book, but not the internal changes in Russia. Foreign newspaper correspondents stationed in Moscow are seldom made privy to the personal relations or standing of one Soviet leader to another. It is this secrecy which gives rise to speculation when such happenings occur as the flying visit of a foreign doctor to Moscow. Much or little may be the conclusion to be drawn from this.

The demise of Premier Stalin or his recession for any reason from a dominant role in Russian affairs would be a tremendous blow to the world's peace. Nor would all probability have important repercussions elsewhere. Some change may already have taken place, for all that the Western world knows. It at least is not without significance that relations between the Soviet and the Western powers have deteriorated sharply ever since Premier Stalin dropped out of active participation. He is commonly believed, for example, to be more amiable and more open to compromise than Mr. Molotov, and the record of the past two years would seem to support that belief. It is Mr. Molotov and not Mr. Stalin who appears to be taking the leading Russian role at present. What that portends, and what the actual state of Premier Stalin's health may be, is something the Western world can only wait to see.

Seen in Passing

Firelight is a friendly thing. It mellows the realities of life and sets shadows to dancing on the wall. It lights the mind with many a color from a long-remembered scene. It brings back youth, and friends who took their ease stretched out and happy in its glow. Firelight limns the might-have-been, those precious dreams which lie in an orange glow and brighten, ere they join the shadows on the wall.

"Whose Woods These . . ."

Whose woods these are I think I know
His house is in the village though;
He will not see me stopping here
To watch his woods fill up with snow

My little horse must think it queer
To stop without a farmhouse near
Between the woods and frozen lake
The darkest evening of the year.

He gives his harness bells a shake
To ask if there is some mistake.
The only other sound's the sweep
Of easy wind and downy flake.

The woods are lovely, dark and deep,
But I have promises to keep,
And miles to go before I sleep,
And miles to go before I sleep.

—ROBERT FROST.

Nature never makes excellent things for mean uses.—JOHN LOCKE.

Chinese Pirates

Frank H. Kelley

Now that commerce is moving freely along the China coast again the pirates of notorious Bias Bay and other old-time haunts of the free-for-all fraternity are active, according to reports from Hongkong reaching this station. Recently a ship was boarded nearby, looted and some of her passengers held for ransom.

Called the "common enemy of the human race" there is much in common in the methods employed by the Oriental followers of Capt. Kidd and other high-sea bandit raiders. Particularly active in the naval forces based on the Colony operating there are two large, evidently resumed operations which were not at all profitable during the war.

Not like the swashbuckling type of pirate, your Chinese pirate never sported wooden legs or carried cutlasses. Chinese pirates extend in a far more effective manner than the men who roamed the Spanish Main and made their victims walk the plank." The Chinese would never do that sort of thing for the prisoner provided him with his chief source of revenue—ransom money.

Travelling anywhere between Hongkong and points along the China coast not so long ago, the average passenger could never know until maybe too late just who or what his fellow passengers were. The other ship might be a peaceful honest-to-goodness trader or a Chinese coastal junk or notorious pirate gang, of which there were plenty.

MOST RESOURCEFUL

Some of the affable first-class passengers and their followers made a lot of money during the war, after year, making the shipping companies and their passengers pay ransom thousands of pounds annually. The Chinese Pirate, the last of his kind in the world, was credited with a fine sense of humor and resourcefulness.

Richly-dressed and displaying considerable culture, the leaders were generally first-class passengers on ships selected as possible prizes of revenue. The usual procedure followed was to make a leisurely cruise, sometimes of a merchant in order to get familiar with the working of the vessel and the best time to declare themselves and pirate her.

The records of the Chinese pirates seem a bit incredible. They would take the officers and crew of a ship and his financial standing. It has happened that they had spies in the native banks and cases where plane weeks ahead from information supplied through their agents in their organizations.

When a ship was chosen for pirating the leader would book a first-class passage, while a number sufficient for the crew of the vessel would engage passage in the steerage, or maybe one or two would be taken on as seamen.

The Pirate Fleet would lay in the harbors of the coast into which they would force the officers to take the captured ships at gun-point. It is on record that pirate gangs of 30 to 50 have overpowered and disarmed a crew and carrying as many of the passengers as possible, sail her into their preferred harbor and strip her of everything of value. Cases of this kind came about frequently.

I remember chatting with a British officer who was passing through Victoria to the late thirties. He had been identified with the China Coast Gunboat service and recounted like ten years, he stated, but Russian affairs were of more importance being brought to justice. He had left Hongkong shortly after the piracy of the steamer Heilkon, with several hundred passengers, mostly steerage, aboard, not more than 15 were in the pirate party. These crusers the officer said, offered no complete surprise, looting the ship and taking everything of value the passengers possessed. Some were taken ashore and held for ransom.

WITHOUT WARNING

"The life of British merchant officers on the China coast is simply hell," he stated. "You never knows when the passengers are going to rise and shoot at the middle of the night is constantly the first sign. If the attempt happens to fail in execution, it is the signaling the pirates just throw their arms into the sea and lay down with the steerage passengers, sleeping on deck. No one dares to give them away.

"Junks which are used to take people aboard the captured ships cannot be pursued because of the shallow nature of water, as we have known that thousands of pounds worth of ransom money goes through villages, which are headquarters for pirate gangs but few are caught. Now and again pirate schemers authorities placate foreigners by burning a few cottages in the waterfront. The pirates, according to best informed sources, Hongkong C.I.D., live in the mountains far from the villages, and are the descendants of generations of pirates.

"Where the pirates get their arms is not known, although suspected. Everyone is searched before boarding. The supposition is that the revolvers get aboard in bales of merchandise and in double-bottomed pedlar baskets."

VENDIA'S AIR AIRLINER

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP). — The Daily Express said today that a Tudor I airliner, turned down by the British Overseas Airways Corp. has "been vindicated by a four-man inquiry board set up by the Government" and the corporation "will be held to put the plane on North Atlantic service without delay."

GREAT YARMOUTH, England

(CP).—Thousands of fresh-water fish were killed when pipes burst and let the sea into the fresh-water Broads.

Rebellion in Greece—The Legal Test

By W. N. EWER

"The announcement by "Gen-gas" Markos and his associates that they are now the "Provisional Free Greek Government" was not unexpected. Monsieur Zachariades, the secretary of the Greek Communist Party, indicated nearly six months ago the possibility of such a move. Markos himself, in August, announced that he had taken over the "administration" of the area controlled by his forces, pending the formation of a provisional government.

In itself it would be an event of no importance and with little relation to reality. As a guerilla fighting force, in the particular conditions which exist in northern Greece, the rebels are formidable enough. They are reasonably well armed. The terrain is ideal for such fighting and its nationals are traditional among the descendants of the Macedonian bandits of the 18th century. Also, there is the inestimable advantage of the neighboring frontiers. Whatever the extent of the actual help accorded the rebels from Bulgaria, Yugoslavia and Albania, nothing is sure. They can, whenever hard-pressed, disengage and withdraw as "refugees" across the border, where they can be neither pursued nor fired on. And rested and recuperated in perfect safety, they can return wherever the moment seems favorable.

Nor has the conduct of operations against them been so far characterized either by skill or determination. In such circumstances, they have had little difficulty in holding their mountain fastnesses for over a year and in taking them over far wider areas, so that they have been able to paralyse the economic life of more of the most fertile part of Greece. And there are today, in and around Athens, over 400,000 refugees—mostly workers and peasants and women and children—from the districts they have devastated.

But formidable bands of guerilla raiders do not form a government. The area which the bands have had in anything like constant occupation is not very large. It is thinly-peopled mountain land. They do not hold a single town—and few villages of any size. And such "administration" as they have set up is of a sketchy kind. The new ministers have no minister and little or nothing to administer.

The claim, then, of Markos and his fellows to be a "government" would be merely ludicrous if it were not for the danger that it may be a prelude to a diplomatic fiction similar to that accorded early in the war to Greece by her northern neighbors.

Reports are already current that there have been discussions—and perhaps even the beginning of negotiations—recognizing the Markos regime as a belligerent government. To do so would be against every canon of international usage. For it is an established and a wise custom that recognition to the rebels even as "lawful insurgents" shall not be given unless and until they have a well-established control over an appreciable proportion of national territory, in which they have set up an orderly and properly functioning administration. And even so a cautious delay is customary.

The Franco Regime, for example, was not "recognized" as a de facto belligerent government until early in 1938, when it had for many months exercised full authority over the majority of the provinces of Spain. And the Chinese Communist Government, through its existence and full control of a great territory for years, has never yet been "recognized" by any government. It may be noted that opinions as to the character of the government against which the rebellion is taking place is irrelevant. That was emphasized by the Soviet Government itself in its "definition of an government" part of which to which Yugoslavia is a signatory. In that part "support to armed bands" is categorized as aggression. And it is laid down that "no act can be justified by the internal situation of a state—e.g., the political structure, economic or social, or the alleged defects of the administration, disturbances arising out of strikes, revolutions, civil revolutions and civil war."

Apart from all the principles which the Soviet Government used to profess, there is no question that to recognize Markos' armed bands as a "government" or even as "lawful insurgents" would be to provide them with armed assistance would be an aggression; and an aggression not to be justified by any charges, true or false, about "political structure or the alleged defects of administration" of the present regime in Greece.

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Letters to the Editor

The letters of the editor may be reserved for publication. Letters should be kept as short as possible, preferably not exceeding 300 words. The letter should express a single idea or deal with a single subject. Letters should be signed.

FOR LIMITED USE

Sir,—The insistence with which Reeve Warren and Councillor Hobbs of Saanich oppose the licensing of an airpark on the grounds that it could be developed into a commercial project, makes it clear that they do not understand the regulations governing airport licensing. The Department of Transport will advise them on this.

Further, it is not the desire of the Memorial Airpark Association to become an airport, but merely to develop the 57 acres acquired for airpark purposes.

Reeve Warren and Councillor Hobbs are pledged equally to serve the community and the district of Saanich.

W. J. KENTON.

50 Cook St., Victoria, B.C., January 6, 1948.

Russia Observes Christmas Day

MOSCOW, Jan. 7 (AP).—This is Christmas Day in Russia, and although it is not an official holiday many believers still observe it.

Last night worshippers thronged Moscow's Cathedral of the Resurrection and other Orthodox churches throughout the Soviet Union for Christmas Eve services. The crowds were somewhat smaller than in past years, however, because of the bitter cold—18 below in Moscow.

In the cathedral of the Eastern church, in official use in Russia until the revolution, this is December 25.

Two Seamen Show Heroism

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Jan. 7 (CP).—Two seamen of the Foundation Josephine, a Bermuda-based tug which left Halifax late in November to answer a call for help from the Greek freighter Vermicos Brothers, have added a new chapter to the volume of heroism at sea.

The two men—chief officer Walter Myalls and George Green, a seaman—rowed for twenty five hours through high seas and stormy weather to get emergency food aboard the Michalos, which had to be towed 400 miles into Bermuda after her engines stopped three weeks previously. The ship had been hove to waiting for aid in foul weather.

Myalls and Bowley, youthful English-born skipper of the tug, told the story of the exploit.

Pressed for time and unable to transfer supplies by breeches buoy due to the violence of the storm, the two men, both Newfoundlanders, offered to take the job in a dory although Capt. Cowley said he would not order his men to try such a task.

The Daily Colonist has been operation continued with the tiny craft in constant peril. When the food finally was hauled up the Michalos' aids and the Newfoundlanders fought their way back to the tug, they were lifted aboard in an exhausted condition.

HIGH PRICES

VANCOUVER, (CP).—Tahiti, once called an idyllic refuge from modern economic ills, has been hit by inflation, officers of the steamship Waikawa reported on arrival here from Papeete. Prices are up 50 per cent since 1939 and 75 per cent since the war.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 8, 1923)

Collision Inquiry—The marine court of inquiry into the Nanaimo collision on December 26 between a motor launch and a coal scow in tow, that took the life of one man and injured another, will open its investigation at Nanaimo on January 18, Captain J. D. Macpherson, wreck commissioner, announced today.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 8, 1898)

The City Council of the Virtorian Times was sworn on the Corona was T P Geiger, who goes to Lake Bennett for the purpose of the mail on behalf of the Canadian Government. The passing gold seekers. A little syndicate of Victorians is behind the venture.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of January 8, 1873)

From Wellington—The steamer Maude, Captain Holmes, arrived yesterday evening after a very fair run. She towed the inflexible Constitution out of Nanaimo Harbor. She had a small cargo of farm produce, the mail, and the following passengers: Miss Rae and Messrs. Pitch, Old, Pollard, Moses, Drummond, Drinkwater and one Indian woman.

Observation Car

By G.B.

Money talks, but creditors talk even louder . . . "I wish you would stop complaining about everything in general. How would you like to live in Europe where there is no free enterprise? Every man can make his pile in Canada," the Boss said to Bill the Broad Street barber, "Quite right. Every man can make his pile of bile in Canada," Bill retorted . . . Barber Ben vainly tried to carve a tough chicken wing at dinner time in his boarding house, judy inquired "Oh, no, I am just thinking that the hen is mighier than the sword." Ben chuckled . . . Daniel Proleman wrote: "Half the secret of getting along with people is consideration of their views. The other half is tolerance in your own views . . . The following strange resolution was passed by the town council of Milford, Ontario, in 1860: "Voted: That the earth is the Lord's and the Fullness thereof. Voted: That the earth is given to the saints; Voted: That we are the saints. . . . That we are the saints" . . . Waiters treated in Saskatchewan beverage rooms who serve drinks are liable to prosecution. Waiters treated in the same fashion here are liable to faint. . . . The latest cure for alcoholism is to take a man's photograph while he is under the influence and then show it to him when he is sober" a reformed tippler informed Martin. "The way some persons look after drinking it might be impossible to show them a photograph. They would probably go out and do something to make to forget the photograph," Martin observed . . . Prince the Keating Sonny Boy "cons cities long skirts were devised so that manufacturers could sell more cloth." The lad was interviewed when Paris was short of coal, and women had to keep their limbs warm.

Estonian Group To Arrive Soon

CHURCHILL, Man., Jan. 7 (CP).—Twenty-four Estonian men, women and children who had Dummer crossed the Arctic Circle in a sled-dog sulkoni only to be refused admission to the United States after their perilous, two-month voyage, will arrive January 15, it was announced today.

The little group held at Churchill, Manitoba, will be sponsored by the Canadian Lutheran World Relief Committee.

Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Date	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
1	0.34	8.2	6.33	5.1	12.41	7.5	18.47	4.1
2	1.30	8.3	7.33	5.3	13.41	7.7	19.47	4.1
3	2.24	8.4	8.31	5.5	14.37	7.9	20.44	4.2
4	3.16	8.5	9.26	5.7	15.31	8.1	21.39	4.3
5	4.07	8.6	10.19	5.9	16.23	8.3	22.32	4.4
6	4.57	8.7	11.11	6.1	17.14	8.4	23.24	4.5
7	5.46	8.8	12.02	6.3	18.05	8.5		
8	6.34	8.8	12.53	6.4	18.57	8.5	0.16	4.6
9	7.22	8.8	13.44	6.5	19.49	8.4	1.08	4.6
10	8.10	8.7	14.36	6.5	20.41	8.3	2.00	4.6
11	9.00	8.5	15.29	6.4	21.34	8.1	2.52	4.6
12	9.54	8.3	16.23	6.3	22.28	7.9	3.44	4.6
13	10.51	8.0	17.18	6.1	23.23	7.7	4.36	4.6
14	11.51	7.7	18.14	5.9			5.28	4.6
15	12.54	7.4	19.11	5.7	0.19	7.5	6.19	4.6
16	13.57	7.1	20.07	5.5	1.14	7.3	7.09	4.6
17	15.00	6.8	21.02	5.3	2.07	7.1	7.57	4.6
18	16.03	6.6	21.55	5.1	2.58	6.9	8.44	4.6
19	17.05	6.4	22.47	4.9	3.49	6.7	9.30	4.6
20	18.06	6.3	23.38	4.8	4.39	6.5	10.16	4.6
21	19.06	6.2			5.28	6.4	11.02	4.6
22	20.05	6.2	0.29	4.7	6.17	6.3	11.48	4.6
23	21.04	6.3	1.19	4.7	7.06	6.2	12.35	4.6
24	22.03	6.4	2.09	4.8	7.56	6.2	13.23	4.6
25	23.02	6.5	3.00	4.9	8.47	6.3	14.12	4.6
26			3.52	5.0	9.39	6.4	15.02	4.6
27	0.01	6.6	4.45	5.2	10.32	6.5	15.54	4.6
28	0.59	6.8	5.37	5.4	11.25	6.6	16.46	4.6
29	1.57	7.0	6.29	5.6	12.18	6.8	17.37	4.6
30	2.54	7.2	7.21	5.8	13.11	7.0	18.28	4.6
31	3.50	7.4	8.13	6.0	14.04	7.2	19.19	4.6

The times used in Pacific Standard Time, based on the Meridian 120 West of Greenwich. The figures for height serve to distinguish the tide of the day from the tide of the next day. The tide rises or falls practically at a uniform rate. Negative tides denote without datum.

Sunrise and Sunset

Times at sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) for Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1948.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	8.17	4.19	16	8.00	4.56
2	8.17	4.20	17	7.58	4.58
3	8.17	4.21	18	7.56	5.00
4	8.17	4.22	19	7.54	5.02
5	8.17	4.23	20	7.51	5.04
6	8.17	4.24	21	7.49	5.06
7	8.16	4.26	22	7.47	5.08
8	8.16	4.27	23	7.44	5.10
9	8.16	4.28	24	7.42	5.12
10	8.16	4.29	25	7.39	5.14
11	8.15	4.31	26	7.37	5.16
12	8.15	4.32	27	7.34	5.18
13	8.15	4.33	28	7.32	5.20
14	8.14	4.34	29	7.29	5.22
15	8.14	4.35	30	7.26	5.24
			31	7.23	5.26

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

According to Culbertson

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Most players become so accustomed to leading up to certain honors or conventions of bridge that it is difficult for them to revise the process and lead away from these same cards. Under certain times of timing, however, make this a vital departure in many cases. For example:

Bonds, dealer.

Both sides vulnerable

NORTH	
♠ A 3	
♥ A 8	
♦ K 5	
♣ 10 8 7 5	
WEST	EAST
♠ Q 10 6	♠ J 8 5 4
♥ 10 7	♥ Q J 6 3
♦ 8 7 6	♦ Q J 2
♣ A Q J 3	♣ 6 2
SOUTH	
♠ K 7 9	
♥ K 9 4 2	
♦ A K J 10	
♣ K 6 4	

The bidding:

South	North	East	West
1 N.T.	Pass	3 N.T.	Pass
6 N.T.	Pass	Pass	Pass

West opened the diamond nine, and when East's queen appeared, the declarer could count four diamond tricks. These, with the two spades and two hearts in clear suits, meant that one trick would have to be established in the club suit. Recognizing that East, declarer crossed to dummy with a spade and returned a low club toward his tenace and little or nothing to admire.

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German Rocket Tail on Display in Montreal

Tail assembly of V2 rocket with which Germans bombarded London in later stages of war forms part of display of three Canadian armed services recently opened in Montreal by Maj.-Gen. E. J. Renaud, C.B., C.B.E., general officer commanding, Quebec command, seen at left in photo. Left to right: Capt. C. R. Balfour, R.C.A., second-in-command of the display; Lt.-Col. L. P. P. Payan, M.B.E., assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general, Quebec command, and Lieut. W. A. Edge, R.C.N. (R), who is supervising naval display.

Will Compete With Market Held by U.S.

MONTREAL, Jan. 7 (CP) — A Canadian airplane-making firm today made its bid to enter a field hitherto held exclusively by the United States: sale of home-built aircraft for use on international and commercial airlines.

Canadair Limited, its big plant on the northeast fringe of Montreal, is negotiating with British interests to supply the newest and speediest passenger—the Canadair 4—to the Government-owned British Overseas Airways Corporation.

B.O.A.C. already operates an overseas service from Montreal and New York—as well as other routes in the British Empire—but is expected to move most of its base here to the United Kingdom late this year. B.O.A.C. now operates the big North American base from hangars and shops adjacent to Dorval Airport.

Spokesmen for Canadair gave no details and there was no indication of the number of planes B.O.A.C. might take, but it was thought the initial order might call for 15 to 20.

Canadair men say tests and statistics show the Canadair 4 ranks with "the only four good commercial airplanes in the world." Cruising approximately 360-000, it has a passenger capacity of 40, and a cruising radius, with full pay-load, of 2,885 miles. Cruising speed, with full load, is placed at well over 300 miles an hour.

Statehood Urged For Hawaii, Alaska

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP) — President Truman today recommended statehood for Hawaii and Alaska.

"I believe that the time has come," Mr. Truman said in his message to Congress on the state of the Union. "For Alaska and Hawaii to be admitted to the Union as states."

The recommendation was the President's second endorsement of statehood for the territories. He urged it first in his state of the Union message to Congress in 1946.

Program of U.S. Aid to China To Need Keen Administration

By J. M. ROBERTS Jr.
A.P. News Analyst

It is six years since General George Marshall's mission to China ended and the United States virtually threw up its hands over the Chinese mess over there. It is 18 months since pronouncement of the Truman doctrine made it clear this attitude must be changed to one of greater help for Nanking against the Communists. Now the administration President Truman says it is ready to move forward with a program.

When it does so, it will be important that there be no equipment Assistance to China, to be effective, is going to cost billions more than might be suggested by the $60,000,000 interim relief figure. As in the case of European rehabilitation, the United States is going into it. It may as well do so with its eyes wide open.

Any attempt to base on the use of American military forces, as we did in Europe during the war, will backfire. This involves not only idealistical impatience with Nankings failure really to implement the forms of democracy under which it pretends to operate. There are actual, concrete difficulties.

The Government haggles over terms of the simplest transfers of equipment.

A thousand American army officers find themselves largely helpless in trying to help reorganize the Chinese Army to make real use of United States aid. They just won't adopt the American replacement training system. A division in the field takes its replacements "off the land," and the farm boys lose their guns to the Communists in the first encounter.

Yet if there is to be a defence line against Communism as contemplated under the Truman doctrine then it must be worldwide.

Officer Acquitted On Bribery Charge

VANCOUVER, Jan 7 (CP) — J. B. Mallet, a former Vancouver police constable, was acquitted by an Assize Court jury today on a charge of attempting to solicit a $20 bribe from Abraham Friesen.

The complainant claimed Mallet had stopped his truck on October 27, accused him of exceeding a speed limit, and offered to forget the offence for a financial consideration. Mallet denied the charges.

Prize Winner Lauds Farm

TORONTO, Jan. 7 (CP) — Pretty 19-year old Peggy Smith of Milverton, Ont., walked away with provincial honors in the junior farmer public speaking contest tonight when she told judges that she stuck to the farm because "it has none of the hurried life of a big city."

The auburn-haired speaker, who knows how to plough a straight furrow and milk a cow, brought honor to Perth County when she competed against four other young orators at the concluding sessions of the Ontario Junior Farmers' annual meeting.

"I think young farm people today have much more fun than our city cousins," she said. Entertainment highlights were sleighrides on a frosty moonlight night, toboggan parties on the hill, hot chocolate and tell stories in front of a fireplace, she said farm girls do.

CAISTER-ON-SEA, Norfolk England (CP)—The village here may disappear within ten years if the present rate of sea erosion continues, said S. W. Mobbs, an engineer.

Dock Workers To Boycott Canadian Ship

SINGAPORE, Jan. 7 (AP) — The Singapore Federation of Trade Unions announced today that a boycott had been proclaimed by all harbor workers against the Canadian vessel Cavasside, which is said to carry arms and ammunition to the Nanking Government in China.

The Singapore harbor board said the vessel is expected to arrive here waiting to discharge local cargo for Singapore before proceeding to Hong Kong. A trade union spokesman said all Chinese, Indian and Malay workmen voted yesterday to refuse to unload the Cavasside or any future ships carrying ammunition to China. He said the amount of arms aboard was unknown but considerable.

Patterson, Simons and Company, the ship's local agents, denied the Cavasside was carrying arms. They said the 7,158-ton vessel was owned by the Andrew Shipping Company of Montreal and sailed from Montreal.

Peter McRitchie, news editor of The Montreal Gazette, a passenger aboard, termed the Federation's charges "absolute nonsense." He said stevedores already had discharged a local cargo of onions and potatoes despite the union's announcement that the ship was being boycotted and would not be unloaded.

"There is no explosive of any kind aboard," McRitchie told reporters. "Our crew never would have sailed if there had been. We had no trouble unloading here. I cannot understand what they are talking about."

SOURCE OF MINERALS

Dry beans are an excellent source of iron, phosphorous and calcium.

Dead Total 17, Nine Hurt In Plane Crash

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 7 (AP) — Seventeen persons were killed and nine injured today when a Coastal Airlines twin-engined plane crashed in a marsh on the Savannah River.

The plane, on a chartered flight, was en route from Philadelphia to Miami, Fla.

Frank Bell, reporter for The Savannah Evening Press, said from the scene that the pilot and co-pilot were among the dead. All the passengers were Puerto Ricans en route to their homeland. Bell said that all the injured appeared to be in serious condition. They were transferred to the Coast Guard cutter Acacia, which started for Savannah.

The crash occurred in the thick marshland about three miles off the Wilmington Island airport. The huge DC-3 ship was practically demolished.

Vessel Antarctic-Bound To Pick Up Scientists

LONDON, Jan 7 (CP) — The motor-ship John Biscoe has sailed for the Antarctic from London, bound on an annual voyage like that performed by the old Scotsman in the Canadian Arctic at the other end of the world.

The John Biscoe will call at lonely meteorological stations as supply ship for the Falkland Islands dependencies survey. She will bring back scientists and observers who for 12 months have been stationed at posts like in Graham Land, South Shetlands, South Orkneys, South-west Graham Land, Argentina Islands and Admiralty Bay.

Investigations are being conducted into the possibility of weather forecasting with particular attention to the development and movement of Antarctic depressions (extensive geological and biological collections have been made and research is conducted into human adaption to low temperatures.

The survey was started in December, 1943, by Cmdr. J. W. S. Marr, who was succeeded as commander in the following year by a Canadian, Capt. (later Maj.) Andrew Taylor, Royal Canadian Engineers, of Winnipeg, who was loaned for this duty, and later returned to Canada, in December, 1945, control of the survey. Was given the Colonial Office Maj. M. R. Pierce-Butler has command of the present expedition.

"The John Biscoe is of 1,200 tons gross and is specially constructed to an assert when a ship is used in the ice-fields.

The ship carries an airplane which will be used in scientific studies among the Southern ice.

Cripps Blames Dollar Deficit For Slow Recovery in Britain

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP)—Britain's recent cut could not aid under the Marshall plan, Sir Stafford Cripps said today, but he added that "we shall be in a grave position" without it.

Telling his fortnightly press conference that despite the country's best efforts there will be a dollar deficit of £300,000,000 ($1,200,000,000) during 1948 the Chancellor of the Exchequer said that austerity Britain, without United States help, would be forced to reduce still further imports of food and raw materials from the Western Hemisphere.

"We should enter upon a declining spiral of fewer imported materials leading to lower production and smaller exports, these in turn leading to still lower imports and so on.

"Without assistance as far as the dollar shortage is concerned, we could not play our part in European recovery and therefore in recovery of the world as a whole, but should be driven back upon a policy of immediate self-preservation."

Evan Marshall aid, he warned, would allow no let-up in Britain's fight for survival.

"We must rely more and more on our own efforts than on any form of outside aid. And let's have no doubts that these efforts will have to be determined and sustained."

The Chancellor estimated 1947 imports at £1,600,000,000 and exports at £1,140,000,000 leaving a visible current trade deficit of about £460,000,000. The gap still is about £32,000,000 monthly.

The dollar drain is even greater, now running to something less than $40,000,000 weekly, he said.

Meyers Denies Perjury Charge

WASHINGTON, Jan 7 (AP) — Maj.-Gen. Bennett E. Meyers today pleaded innocent to a federal indictment charging him with committing perjury by lying to a Senate war investigating committee about his private wartime business dealings.

The retired air force purchasing officer also pleaded innocent to another indictment charging him with inducing a former business associate to swear falsely to the Senate committee.

Meyers was indicted on three charges of perjury and on three charges that he persuaded Bertel H. Lamarre, 35, a former business associate of the general, to tell falsehoods to the Senate committee.

Meyers was allowed to go free, but Judge Pine ordered him to be fingerprinted and photographed.

The Archbishop of York has the title "Primate of England" and ranks after the Archbishop of Canterbury, "Primate of All England."

Orders Suspension Of Police Workers

SEATTLE, Jan 7 (AP) — Police Chief George D. Eastman ordered 14 of the force's 21 radio and gunnery men suspended tonight on charges of misuse of police equipment and taking time for their own use. They will be tried before a police board Tuesday.

...Oddities...

GERING, Neb., Jan. 7 (AP)—**Deputy Sheriff Steve Warrick received his 1948 Nebraska automobile license plates yesterday, the same ones he has carried on his car for several years. Inside the envelope with the plates was a note which read: "Hi, Steve. I'm pretty sure you'll get this."**

The message was from a prisoner at the Nebraska State Penitentiary, who was arrested by Warrick last Spring on charge of breaking and entering. The prisoner had made the plates.

HAMBURG, Jan. 7 (Reuter) — **A 28-year-old Hamburg woman, who advertised for a husband in the Hamburger Algemeine Zeitung added that she received food parcels from the United States each month.**

She got 2,437 offers.

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP) — **Sir Seymour Hicks, who recently celebrated the 60th anniversary of his first appearance on the stage, said "The world is made up of 50 per cent natural people, 30 per cent shy people, 18 per cent snobs and 10 per cent fiddles.**

"I ask you to be extremely nice to the natural people, tolerant to the shy people, to give the snobs a quick kick in the pants and thank God for the idiots because they will never find you out."

DULUTH, Minn., Jan. 7 (AP) — **Citizens of the village of Oliver don't like trains that whistle.**

"At night, the trains kept everybody awake; in the daytime their whistles made everybody nervous," said George Vukovich, village president.

Vukovich announced today a new ordinance by the village board makes it unlawful to blow a train whistle within village limits. Violators are subject to $10 to $25 fines.

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SMALL WHITE BEANS 2 lbs 29c
SALMON Fancy, Sockeye, ½'s, tin 37c
SARDINES Norwegian, tin 24c
PANCAKE FLOUR Pethariis, 20-oz pkt. 17c
GRAPE JUICE Aylmer, 13-oz bottle 23c

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Personal Social and

Mr and Mrs. W J Van Dusen of Vancouver, are spending a week in the city.

Mrs Emily P Denison, of Toronto, is a guest at the Empress Hotel for a month.

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Mrs I. J Oglivie, of Winnipeg, is spending several days in the city a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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Among Vancouver guests staying at the Empress are Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pearson.

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Mr. M. Crisp, of Vancouver, is spending a few days at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. E G McAulay of Calgary, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr and Mrs. S C. Ellis, of Oliver, who are spending the winter at the coast, are staying at the Cathay Apartments.

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Mr and Mrs F E Symmons, of New York City, are guests at the Empress Hotel while visiting the city.

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Mr and Mrs. Peter Cooper with their small son, Aubey, recently arrived from Leicestershire, England, to make their home at Parksville. At present they are staying with Mrs. Egan and Miss Pat Egan, Alberni Road.

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Mr. J K Hodges will entertain at bridge this afternoon in the lower lounge of the Empress Hotel in honor of Mrs. H P Matheson, of Montreal, who is visiting in Victoria with her husband, who is general manager of C P R. hotels.

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Mrs Milton Jackson, 1007 St. Louis Street, will entertain this afternoon in honor of her house guest, Miss Edna Inglis, who arrived from Ottawa recently to spend the holidays here. Yesterday afternoon Mrs Basil Darling entertained at the tea table at her home on St. Patrick Street, for Miss Inglis.

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The first meeting of the year of the Toastmistress Club was held on Tuesday evening at the YWCA with Miss Iris Vallance in the chair. Mr L. Westendale of the "Y" Speakers Club was guest speaker and his address was entitled "The Unknown Quality Must Become the Unknown Quantity". Mrs A Dawsey led the table topic "What Cave You the Most Pleasure This Christmas". The following program then took place with Miss Vallance acting as toastmistress: Miss Joyce Dixon on "The New Look"; Mrs. Marjorie Naysmith, "New Years Eve"; Miss Anne Adamson, "The Silver Sleuth"; Miss Peggy Wharton, "Helmcken House"; Miss Marjorie Pyne, "Save the Season on "Gesture" and Miss Carla Ellis acted as general critic. Miss Ellis was appointed secretary in place of Mr. Carter, who filed her resignation. The next meeting will be held on January 20.

EDINBURGH, Scotland (CP) — The Church of Scotland is to form its own theatre company.

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To Celebrate Golden Wedding

MR. AND MRS. H. T. KNOTT

MR and Mrs. H T. Knott, who were married 50 years ago on January 11, will receive their friends at their home on 46 Linden Avenue on Saturday, January 10, from 3 to 5 o'clock and from 8 to 10 o'clock in the evening.

Victoria guests of 50 years ago carried an announcement that on Tuesday, January 11, the marriage took place of Jane Matthew of 146 Gladstone Avenue, Victoria, and Herbert T. Knott, Victoria. The ceremony was held in the evening at the home of the bride and Rev. C C Speer, minister of Metropolitan Church, officiated.

The bride had as her attendant her sister, Rose, while the groom was supported by his brother, H P. Knott. The young couple will make their home in Victoria.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Knott came to Victoria in 1891. Mr Knott arrived from Toronto in January and Mrs. Knott arrived from Belleville, Ont., in July, and they have made their home in the city for 57 years.

They have three children, all married and living in the city: B Howard Knott, druggist, Eldon H Knott and Mrs Ronald Whittington, and six grandchildren.

The bridesmaid of 50 years ago, now Mrs A Hutchins and the best man, are living in Victoria and will be present at the gathering.

Errington News

Christmas Day was the occasion of a happy family reunion for Mr and Mrs. O P Rundall, the first in 11 years. The guests included Mr and Mrs T. Hughes and five children, Mr and Mrs C Rundall and son, Alfred, Mr and Mrs W Rundall and son, Buddy, of Victoria, Mr and Mrs E Cartwright and son, Donald of Lacjanoth, Mr and Mrs O Rae and daughter, Sharon, and son, Douglas, at home, also Private Ernest, Dick, Cecil, Frank and Herbert, and Miss Olive Wright of Victoria. Mr and Mrs. Rundall had seven sons in the service in the World War and they all returned safely.

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Mr and Mrs. Norman Johnson and son, Donald, of Mill Bay, visited Mr and Mrs. A McDonald for a few days on their return from Port Alberni.

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Mrs J Kirkpatrick, and three children, and Mrs P Decker and son, Tommy, have returned from the Christmas vacation which they spent at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart of Nanaimo.

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Christmas decorations of holly and red and green streamers made a cheerful setting for the New Years Eve dance at the Errington War Memorial Hall, which was attended by more than 300 people. The hall board decided to turn over the proceeds to Mr and Mrs C. S Simons whose home was completely destroyed by fire on Saturday night, December 27. The local orchestra offered their services free of charge, all refreshments were donated, and an appreciable amount was turned over to Mr and Mrs Simons.

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Mr and Mrs F Wilson of Duncan, and Mrs. T. Belton of Saanichton, were week-end guests of Mr and Mrs. J. Booth.

Saltair News

Mrs. Taylor of Vancouver, is a guest at the Old Plantation for a week.

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Mr and Mrs D Jordan entertained 18 couples at a turkey supper to celebrate the New Year at the Old Plantation.

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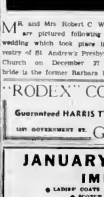
Mr. and Mrs J Moyls have returned after attending the wedding of Miss Dagmar Hertzberg to Mr John Mallon, in Victoria.

Girl Guide Notes

Equimalt Guide Company will resume meetings on Friday at 6:30 p.m. All members are asked to attend.

Married at St. Andrew's Church



—Photo by Alfred Tomes

MR. and Mrs Robert C Webber are pictured following their wedding which took place in the vestry of St Andrew's Presbyterian Church on December 27. The bride is the former Barbara Louise Campbell, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Campbell, Clover Avenue, Victoria, while the groom is the son of Mrs. Maisie Webber of Trail, B.C., and the late Mr R Webber. The newlyweds plan to make their home in Toronto.

Couple to Reside In Parksville

A wedding of interest took place on December 20 at the Seventh Day Adventist Church College Place, Washington, when Elaine Lee Ellen, daughter of Mr and Mrs George Leno of College Place, became the bride of Murrey Eugene Oldersleeve, son of Mr and Mrs W W Oldersleeve of Parksville Rev. I W Duke officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin and marquisette with lace-fitted bodice and full skirt. Her floor-length veil cascaded from a headdress of seed pearls to crown effect. She carried a bouquet of white roses tuffeta, and Miss Lorraine Leno, wearing a similar gown in powder blue taffeta, both carried bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums.

Mr. Clyde Oldersleeve, brother of the groom, was best man and Mr. Lloyd Leno, brother of the bride, was usher.

On their return from their honeymoon Mr and Mrs. Oldersleeve will reside in Parksville.

Surprise Party At Cobble Hill

A large number of friends, members of the Cobble Hill Farmers' and Women's Institutes, gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs H C Beddoes for a surprise party to wish them good luck in their new home. After residing in the district for a number of years they have taken an active interest in all phases of community affairs. Mr and Mrs. Beddoes and their family are leaving to take up residence in the Fraser Valley.

The evening was spent in playing cards. Refreshments were served and a presentation was made to Mr and Mrs. Beddoes from the Farmers' Institute. Their sons, Owen and Lorraine, also received gifts from their school friends.

Former D.V.A. Official Visiting City

MRS. HELEN JESSOP HUNT

MRS Helen Jessop Hunt arrived in the city yesterday from Ottawa to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs. P C Manning, 1403 Fairfield Road.

During the war Mrs Hunt served with the rank of major in the Canadian Women's Army Corps and for some time was deputy director of the corps at Canadian Military Headquarters in London.

Since July, 1946, Mrs Hunt has been with the Department of Veterans' Affairs, Ottawa, as superintendent of women's rehabilitation, a position she held until recently.

When questioned about the ex-service girls and their reactions to settling down into civilian life, Mrs Hunt reported that all the girls have found some "niche" and that things have worked out satisfactorily. One point of interest she mentioned was that a high percentage of women veterans have taken advantage of the vocational and university training offered by the department. She stated that vocational training was terminated the end of last year, but that many girls still are attending universities.

Mrs. Hunt said that after four and a half years to the army, which took her to many interesting spots, and a year and a half in Ottawa, she is now "going to become a Western-er again." Her ambition is to build a house at Sproat Lake, where she lived for many years with her family.

Campbell River

Mr J. O. Tisdell entertained at a delightful dinner at the Campbell River Hotel on Christmas evening when covers were laid for the following: Mr and Mrs Edward Wright, Mr and Mrs William W. White, Mr and Mrs Harry McMaster, Mr and Mrs. Edward Oallant, Mr and Mrs Phillip Bennett, Mr and Mrs Lloyd Compton, Miss Ena Emery, Miss Joyce Cochassus, Mr. Alec Strachan, Mr James Lawler, Mr. Jack Slaton, Mr. Frank Cosgne, Mr. L. D. Smith, Mr. Don Bartlano, Mr Charles Chevalier, Mr. Charles Shaw, Mr. "Tex" Gill, Mr Walter Lee and Mr. Leo Couture.

Mr and Mrs. Cyril Trevitt entertained the staff of Lawyer Bloore at their home on December 21, at which a buffet supper was served, followed by the presentation of gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Robinson of Pendell entertained at a party on Boxing Day. Other Boxing Day hosts included Mr and Mrs. E. L. Anderson who entertained several friends at a cocktail party.

A christening took place in St Peter's Church on December 28, when the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Todnerychuk received the names Laila Jean. Rev. W. B B. Nixon officiated During the service Miss Selma Frew rendered a solo

Ladies' Auxiliary I W A. Local 99, held a Christmas party in the Legion Hall for members and their children. An enjoyable evening of games and carol singing was spent.

Happy Valley News

Mr. and Mrs Nelson Smith with their children Jean and Harold of Haney, B.C., were recent guests of the latter's mother Mrs H A Baxter Happy Valley

In honor of her daughter Joan who celebrated her sixth birthday on Monday, Mrs. W Allen, Sooke Road, entertained at a party The guests included Ken Carters, Harry White, Darlene Mills, Dicki Hobbs, Grace Hobbs, Martha Mills, Patsy Mills, Penny White, Tarny White, Gary Calladine and David Allen.

At a recent meeting of Happy Valley P.-T.A. arrangements were made for sprinkling in the National Film Council. Mr F J. Willway and Mr. D. Lincoln were appointed to take the training course in film projection. Executive council for Belmont High were asked to attend a meeting on January 19 for the purpose of arranging for the grand opening of Belmont High School in April. A cribbage game has been arranged for January 16. At the close of the meeting Mr. D. Lincoln showed several interesting films

A Christmas party will be held at the home of Mrs. A Hankin, Happy Valley Road on January 13 by Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute. The regular business meeting will precede the party.

One of the earliest botanic gardens was at Karnak, Egypt, in 1500 B.C.

Harem Being Wiped Out by High Cost Of Living Now Prevailing in Morocco

By ROBERT C. WILSON

FEZ, Morocco, Jan. 1 (AP)—The high cost of living is slowly wiping out the harem in Morocco. More and more Arabs are restricting themselves to one wife at a time.

The Koran allows a man to four official spouses, in addition to an unrestrained number of concubines, but that is just too expensive these days.

Before the war an Arab could "buy" a wife for 5,000 francs. Now a wife costs from 100,000 to 200,000 francs (from $1,000 to $2,000).

Inflation is blamed for the change. Instead of a thousand-franc bill, Arab men who can afford to "put on the dog" in having a man could buy a camel for 400 francs. Just try to find one now for a thousand-franc bill.

While there are few pashas or caids able to afford the greeds and "babouche" (gilded slippers) for four wives, there are safe of arriving at the same end.

An Arab can divorce a wife merely by telling her before witnesses "It is better that you return to the house of your brother." And that's all there is to it! That's the divorce.

Should it happen that the wife and more Arabs are restricting themselves to one wife at a time.

When an Arab marries he gives a sum of money to his bride's parents with which they outfit her with clothes and the cushions that constitute the furniture of an Arab room. In divorce cases in which the wives are at fault the parents are obliged to return the money.

Attractive Print for Early Spring Days

Under-your-fur-coat prints are already replacing the lightweight wools of Fall and Winter. This black and white tassel print shown by a New York designer recently for into-Spring has cartridge pleating at the hips to minimize the waistline. The deep capelet collar has the same detail at the shoulders.

Parties Honor Popular Bride-Elect

Miss Peggy Sparks, a popular member of The Daily Colonist's advertising department, who is being married on Saturday, was the recipient of a pair of rose wool blankets presented to her by Mr. Hector Alexander, manager of that department, with the good wishes of her co-workers. The gift was accompanied by a card containing the names of her staff-members.

A pantry shower honoring Miss Peggy Sparks was given on Monday evening by Miss Margaret Bracken at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. T. Bracken, 688 Falkland Road. Marilyn and Ronald Hawes dressed as "grocery boys" delivered the useful gifts to the bride-elect. The guests were Mrs. F. Ashley Sparks, Mrs. Fred Wright, Mrs. H. F. Hewitt, Mrs. Jack Sparks, Mrs. D. Leggatt, Mrs. A. Macfarlane, Vancouver, Mrs. H. Pope, Mrs. W. Patton, Mrs. J. Kusch, Mrs. F. Widmer, Mrs. C. H. Orme, Mrs. F. Strachan, Mrs. Gordon Leeming, Mrs. Johnson-Tighe, Miss A. M. Smith of London, Ont., and Misses Pat Sparks, Joan Griffiths, Frances Leeming, Mafford Wilson, Wynne Shaw, Beryl and Nan Wisher and Margaret Loudoun.

Mrs. Albert Heller was hostess at her home on Broughton Street on Wednesday evening at an enjoyable party in honor of Miss Peggy Sparks. Corsages were presented to the guest of honor and her mother and on behalf of the assembled group, all members of the staff of The Daily Colonist, Miss Audrey Rooney presented Miss Sparks with a handsome table lamp. During the buffet supper, the cutting of a mock "bride's cake" with novel favors, was much enjoyed. Those present were Mrs. F. Ashley Sparks, Mrs. M. McVane, Mrs. K. Swenson and Misses Audrey Rooney, Anna Wilson, Isabel Cooper, Joan Ingram, M. Swarbrick and B. Buswell.

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Jan. 7 (AP)—An urgent demand for feed grains in the cash market sparked an upturn in grain futures on the Board of Trade today. Oats sold at a record peak of $1.44 a bushel in spot dealings, both No. 1 extra heavy mixed and No. 2 extra heavy white bringing that figure. The May oats future reached a seasonal peak although remaining well under the record few any oats contracts of $1.39 1-2.

(In A. Stamber, Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	280½	283½	280½	283
July	280½	283½	280½	283½
Sept.	283½	287	283½	286¾
Dec.	285½	288	285½	288
Oats—				
May	204	205½	204	205½
July	203½	206	203	206
Sept.	198½	201	198½	200½
Dec.	195½	198	195½	198
Corn—				
May	197½	198	197½	198
July	193½	196½	193½	195
Sept.	191	194	191	193½
Dec.	188½	192	188½	191
Barley—				
May	127½	130	127½	130
July	132½	136½	132½	136
Sept.	96	97½	96	97½
Dec.	96½	98½	96½	98½

STEEL INDUSTRY ON SPOT

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP)—The steel industry of the United States will be on the spot Thursday when executive meet with Commerce Department officials to discuss a steel allocation program. The Iron Age national metal-working trade weekly said today. Either way the decision goes, it will be in for criticism, the paper contended.

DANGEROUS "SNIFFLES"

The first sign of a more serious infection may be a cold, say doctors. A cold which "hangs on" may be a sign of approaching bronchitis, pneumonia or influenza and should be cleared up as soon as possible.

Clubs and Societies

Victoria West P.-T.A. will meet in the school auditorium on Monday at 8 p.m.

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The regular meeting of Christ Church Cathedral Chi Rho Fellowship will be held on Thursday in the Memorial Hall at 8 p.m.

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The Young Progressive Conservative Association will hold the bi-monthly meeting at the home of Miss Barbara Muckleberry, Lansdowne Road, on Thursday at 8 p.m. All members and friends are urged to attend.

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The Victoria Musical Arts Society will meet on January 10 at 2:30 p.m., and the executive will meet at 2 p.m. Prizes will be awarded to winners of the membership contest. Joan Archer has arranged an interesting program and refreshments will be served.

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Daughters of St. George, Victoria Lodge No. 83, met recently in the K. of P. Hall when Mrs. Elizabeth Power was initiated into the lodge. It was reported that Christmas cheer had been given to various organizations and that a donation of $10 had been sent to the fund of overseas parcels. The next meeting will be held at the K. of P. Hall on January 14 at 8 p.m.

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Plans for an annual banquet and dance to be held on February 3 at the Crystal Garden were made at a meeting of St. John's A.Y.P.A. held recently. Juanita Perkins and Corinne Leifer will be in charge of the affair. On Tuesday members will meet at 7:30 p.m. at Kresges from where they will proceed to the Old Men's Home. Corporate Communion will be held on Sunday.

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The Young People of Oak Bay United Church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kinsley recently, when plans were made to hold a rummage sale in March. During the evening members played monopoly. The next meeting will be held on January 13 at 8 p.m. in the church parlor when the first in a series of informal discussions on the United Nations will be held. Mr. Harry Carruthers and Miss Jean Derry will conduct the program.

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The Oak Bay subdivision of the C.W.L. and Altar Society of Our Lady of Lourdes Church held its first meeting of the year on Monday at the home of Mrs. J. A. McLellan, Shakespeare Street, with the president, Mrs. F. J. Doherty in the chair. After matters of routine business had received attention, plans were made to hold a Bridge Tea on Tuesday, February 3, in the Douglas Room of the Hudson's Bay Company. Non-players will be welcome at the tea. Mrs. Palmer John R. Buckley and 16 members attended the meeting. Next month the group will meet at the home of Mrs. P. J. Nolan, Upper Terrace, the Uplands.

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Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., met at Memorial Hall recently with Mrs. A. Malmprise in the chair. Mrs. J. W. Norton reported on the general fund and announced the postwar accounts had been closed in accordance with government orders. Mrs. E. Edwards reported articles to the value of $5 had been turned in to Municipal Chapter, since the last meeting. It was decided to give a yearly subscription of the National Geographic Magazine to the Veterans' Hospital. Mrs. E. Malmprise was nominated as national councillor and Mrs. Malmprise, Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps and J. W. Van Norman were nominated as provincial councillors. A nomination committee consisting of Mrs. B. J. Muir, Mrs. A. M. Florence and Mrs. J. R. Cogswell was appointed. Mrs. Norton reported that four food parcels had been sent to Britain during December. The next meeting will be held on February 8 at headquarters and the annual meeting will be held on February 20, following a luncheon at the Double Hotel.

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Mrs. L. Steele presided at the meeting of Ward 6 Parent-Teacher Association, held Tuesday evening in the Mount Newton High School Auditorium. Mrs. R. Edmonds, school secretary, read a letter from the Saanich School Board authorizing the P.-T.A. to use the Home Economics Room for preparing refreshments. The meeting endorsed the formation of ballroom dancing for pupils from Grades 9 to 12, for ladies and a committee consisting of Mrs. Middleton, Mrs. A. Hafer, and Mrs. L. Steele was named to make necessary arrangements in co-operation with the principal. A committee consisting of Mr. T. Mitchell, Mr. A. Butler, Mr. J. L. Newton, Mr. A. E. Vogee and Mr. M. Connor was named to provide a hard surfaced playing area for tennis and basketball. The association will hold a St. Patrick Country Fair on March 19, commencing at 7:30 p.m. The organization of this function was entrusted to the social committee with the co-operation of the teachers. Proceeds will be used towards the cost of this year's P.-T.A. scholarships, awards, and other needs of the school.

Mr. A. E. Vogee, principal, reported on those nights. Mr. J. L. Newton, treasurer, reported a balance on hand of $67.86. The next meeting will be held on February 3.

General Expelled For 'Disloyalty'

NANKING, Jan. 7 (AP)—The Kuomintang (Government Party) supervisory committee today expelled Christian Gen. Feng Yu-Hsiang for "disloyalty."

The action was interpreted as the first application of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's call for a purge of dissidents.

The Government recently instructed Feng to return from Washington where he has been minister, in his criticism of Chiang. Feng was sent to the United States to study water conservation.

BEAST OF DISTINCTION

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Finnish Envoy Presents Letters

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP)—Urho Toivola, Finland's first representative to Canada, today presented to Viscount Alexander his letters of credence as envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of Finland in Canada.

External Affairs Minister St. Laurent was present at the ceremony.

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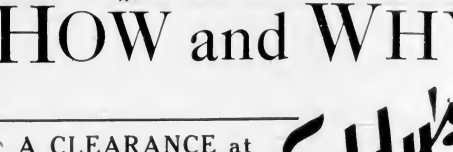

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Deer Trio Ends Up in Jail

Three deer—a doe and two fawns—look questioningly at Patrolman Frank O'Keefe at police station in Sioux City. The deer roamed city on Christmas Eve but about time Santa was due to arrive. Game warden removed them from jail and, in regular patrol wagon, took them to outskirts of city.

Native Sons at Nanaimo Seek Camp Site as Park

NANAIMO, Jan. 7—Native Sons of British Columbia Post No. 2 here, heading a movement to secure Camp Nanaimo for public park purposes, sports grounds and as a tourist attraction, received encouragement at a public meeting in council chambers tonight which they called. Representatives of different organizations attended. They passed a resolution sponsored by Alderman George Addison and seconded by M. Hudginiione.

It asked that the representatives present return to their organizations to obtain permission in return to another meeting to be called two weeks hence, with power to take a stand to ask the city council to petition the Dominion Government to reserve Camp Nanaimo for the purposes outlined, also that the city council be asked to start immediately negotiations with the Government to that end as representatives of the organizations behind the movement and citizens in general.

There were no dissenters to the resolution. Speakers stated there was no intention of interfering with worthy groups who already hold priorities on certain parcels of land at the site.

Nanaimo and District School Board representatives said this organization expected to secure 40 acres of the site for a proposed junior and senior high school estimated to cost between $850,000 and $1,000,000.

George Wilson, was chairman of the meeting. Bud Bray, speaking for Native Sons, told how Vancouver obtained Stanley Park. He thought as some of the land was reserved for military purposes, it was not a desirable site for a school.

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Victoria Gulf Islands—Lv Victoria 10.30 a.m. arr Ganges 1.30 p.m. lv Vancouver 10.30 a.m. arr Ganges 1.30 p.m.

West Coast, Vancouver Island—Dr. Frin. Victoria 7.30 a.m. arr Port Alberni 12.30 p.m. Bus parts alone the West Coast of Vancouver Island on October 5, 19, 21 and 26, November 2, 9, 16 and 30, December 7, 14 and 28.

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Canadians Six Years Ago Guarded Britain's Coast

Six years ago, in January 1942, the whole fighting strength of the Canadian Army overseas was concentrated in Sussex, England.

Here the Canadians found themselves responsible for some 80 miles of English coast, from east of Hastings to the Hampshire border, and including the valuable port of Newhaven and the populous borough of Brighton.

As this area, with its good roads running north to London, was considered the most likely place at which to launch Allied strike the coast was no small one. In addition, there was ever the danger of seaborne and airborne raids.

As they watched the misty channel and leaden English skies, that Winter, Canadians nourished hopes that if the enemy would not come to them, they could go to him where he waited, 50 miles away across the water. They little knew then just to the Provincial Government for how long they would be forced to a guarantee of waterworks debenwait.

Provincial Police Search for Thief

CAMPBELL RIVER, Jan. 7—Provincial Police have not given up the search for an unidentified man who stole an automobile early New Year's Day from John Pedi, an employee of the General Construction Co. Ltd.

An hour after Mr. Pedi reported his car stolen, Constable P. C. Nelle noticed the machine being driven through Campbellton. He immediately gave chase, and fired several warning shots from his revolver to halt the thief. The culprit came to a sudden stop and fled into the woods, shielded by heavy rain and darkness. The automobile was returned to the owner undamaged.

COMMUNITY ENTERPRISE

EDMONTON, Kp.—Westmount Home and School Association has come up with a new wrinkle for overcoming the lack of lockers for Edmonton's Westmount School. The city's public school board approved a suggestion that it supply material with which to build the lockers provided members of the association supply the labor. They'll have the use of the school shop.

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Parksville Board Wants Guarantee

PARKSVILLE, Jan. 7—Parksville Village Commissioners held their first meeting of the New Year on Monday. Ray Young was sworn in as a commissioner, and H. J. Marks was re-appointed chairman.

A resolution was passed to apply to the Provincial Government for a guarantee of waterworks debentures.

It was decided to invite representative committees of the Parksville Board of Trade and the local branch of the I.W.A. to discuss the proposed zoning by-law. The tentative date set for meeting was January 16.

LONDON, KP.—A government-backed scheme for producing 20,000 automatic looms a year to re-equip the cotton industry, as against the present production of between 4,000 and 5,000, is recommended in the Eccles Committee's report to the Ministers of Supply.

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Atomic Energy Commission in Washington warns, "hazards will exist" in Eniwetok Atoll area where new A-bomb tests are to be staged. Huge danger zone around the South Pacific atoll has been officially announced. Above is "Shanty Town," along shores of Aomon Island, on Eniwetok, Marshall Islands. Vegetation is sparse and rainfall practically non-existent.

Six Injured By Blasts In Montreal

MONTREAL, Jan. 7 (CP)—Early morning explosions today levelled a two-story gas works building at the Montreal Locomotive Works in the city's East End and sent six men to hospital, one in serious condition.

Damage was heavy but first fears that there might be heavy loss of life were not borne out.

The first blast in the gas-making shop came at 7.50 a.m. and was heard as far as Lachine and North Montreal. The second came at 8.18 a.m. A call for ambulances sent three to the scene.

One man taken to hospital was described as in "serious condition." Others were said to be "badly burned."

Buildings near the gas works were shaken and some damaged.

Parts of the debris of the gas works were found as far as 2,000 yards from the scene of the blast.

In main works buildings windows were shattered and brickwork damaged. A 45 brick chimney a considerable distance from the original line-point of the explosion suffered a gaping hole.

New House Theft "Petty" Larceny

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (NANA)—Police of nearby Alexandria have arrested a man charged with stealing a house and carting it away.

The house, a frame building 16 feet square, served as a community-store structure during the war and was recently dismantled. The lumber was piled in the yard and when workmen returned the next day, it was gone.

Investigation by police led to a 52-year-old man who has been charged with petty larceny.

Tojo Claims Conscience Clear After Leaving Witness Stand

TOKIO, Jan. 7 (AP)—Former Premier Hideki Tojo, with a solemn face, the court proceeded to hear testimony for the 25th and last day of his war crimes trial, left today for the witness stand he had occupied for six drama-filled days relating his version of causes of the Pacific war.

Then, through his lawyer, Tojo moved a statement that if General Mac Arthur's staff had been the object of examinations with my life, essential points of issue would have been more definitely proved."

"My conscience is crystal clear. "If I am permitted to speak (to the court) I shall be able to make clear the truth of this case under examination is limited to matters since 1928. If it had been investigation retrospective more than 300 years, or at least 100 years ago since the opium war, the cause and effect of the matter might have been clarified further.

"The second is that, whether it be in war or whether it be in diplomacy, there is always the other side of people of the other side and the Government of the other side has been the object of examination with me, the essential points at issue would have been more definitely proved."

With the conclusion of Tojo's defense testimony for the 25th and last day will determine the fate, left under Brigadier Gen. Yoshijiro Umezu, who commanded Japan's forces in Manchuria until he became chief of the army general staff in 1944.

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Ontario Farm Oil Well Site

TORONTO, Jan. 7 (CP)—Imperial Oil, Ltd., today announced that discovery of an oil field in Tilbury township, about 30 miles east of Windsor, Ont., is indicated by the coming in of a well Monday night.

The well, on the farm of Samuel Lynn at Staples, about five miles southwest of the town of Tilbury, came in with a pressure that blew the tools out of the hole, the announcement said. It added:

"Gas flow was estimated at 200,000 cubic feet daily and preliminary tests indicated a flow of six barrels per hour of 38 gravity crude oil. Production is from a depth of 1,182 feet.

"W. A. Roloff in charge of geological, exploration and development for Imperial Oil in Eastern Canada, said that while it is too early to make firm predictions, the probability of an oilfield of at least 200 acres is suggested . . . a program is being drawn for further drilling in the area."

Record Wheat Crops May Ease Shortages

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP)—Although the world food crisis is still far from over, record wheat crops in Australia and Argentina will provide some measure of relief, partially offsetting lower Canadian and United States crops, the Bureau of Statistics reported today in a monthly survey of world wheat supplies.

Reports from Australia indicated an exportable surplus of about 150,000,000 bushels which after commitments to the United Kingdom of more than 80,000,000 and to India of about 20,000,000 bushels will leave 35,000,000 bushels for export to other countries.

An exportable surplus of upwards of 100,000,000 bushels was indicated from Argentina on the assumption that production will approach last year's 206,000,000 bushel crop.

U.K. Conservatives Support Labor In Resentment to Criticism by U.S.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (NANA)—America's misunderstanding of the British political situation has suffered considerably from over-simplification. As a Conservative Member of Parliament remarked:

"This would think from some of the American comment that Prime Minister Attlee is a pal of Joe Stalin."

It is difficult to keep in mind that members of the Conservative Opposition, when speaking to outsiders, are not supporters of the British Labor Party.

Upstairs on the House floor, the Conservatives would fulfill their constitutional function of holding the Government to the limit on its proposals, but down in the lobby they could show sympathy and understanding for the men who were having to carry national responsibilities through one of the great crisis in British history.

Part of the Conservative defense of the British Labor Government could, of course, be ascribed to patriotic resentment against American criticism, and uninformed American charges that Britain is going Red.

Actually there are only two Communists in the House of Commons, and none in the Government, although several members of the left wing of the Labor Party were suspected of being party members.

Off-the-record Conservative sympathy with the Labor Government stems from understanding of the problems the Government faces, respect for the individual men who are trying to solve them, and realization that if the Conservatives were in power they would have to do themselves many of the things for which Labor is being blamed.

The job is to spread a limited amount of food, raw materials, labor and transportation over national needs, and to make them go as far as possible.

Everything must be sacrificed to increase the flow of exports, to obtain money—especially dollars—to pay for food and other necessary imports. Britain is still operating at a deficit. Unless she can balance income against expenditure, Britain is just as broke as any person who would be under the same circumstances. What then would happen to the 48,000,000 people in the British Isles, is anybody's guess.

It therefore is debatable just how much of the program of the British Labor Government can be charged to radicalism, and how much has been forced by critical economic conditions. Any British Government, Conservative or Labor, would have to provide enough food for the men who work, and enough amenities so that they would not rebel out of sheer misery.

An American can think himself into something of an appreciation of the British situation, if he will recall what went on in the United States during the depression.

"The difference is that food and other materials do not exist in the British Isles to meet the needs of the people, and there isn't enough national cash to buy them—the money must be earned.

It is probable that should the Labor Government fail spectacularly in working Britain out of the present mess, the Conservatives would sweep the board in the next general election.

It nevertheless is true that should the Conservatives have been voted into power, they would experience considerable difficulty in remedying some of the things Labor has done.

PLAN CLINIC

WINNIPEG, (CP)—J. N. T. Bulman, president of the Manitoba Division of the Red Cross, recently announced plans for a depot and clinic for the Manitoba Red Cross Free Blood Transfusion Service. Approximate cost will be $200,000 Mr. Bulman said.

Many Arrested During Riots

KARACHI, Pakistan, Jan. 7 (Reuters)—Some 400 persons were arrested during the night after riots and looting which followed the massacre yesterday of 24 persons, temporarily accommodated in a temple here.

The trouble began when a crowd of about 8,000 stormed the temple and set it on fire after spreading the flames.

Another 12 persons were killed and about 60 wounded in incidents elsewhere in this capital of Moslem Pakistan.

The 24-hour curfew imposed last night was enforced today by armoured cars in battle kit. It will be lifted for two hours later today and reimposed until tomorrow morning.

In New Delhi, an official spokesman said reports from Indian Army units and revolutionary parties indicated that tribesmen from the northwest frontier province of Pakistan were planning a major drive to conquer Kashmir, now part of Hindu India.

He added that Indian Army units in Kashmir "are ready for them."

"CHINA'S SORROW"

The Yellow River in China is dubbed "China's Sorrow" because of the many floods it has loosed on adjacent rich farmlands.

Still Testing

Leaving cloud of gases and fiery streaks up towards the upper spaces during test by the U.S. army in their New Mexico proving ground. This was the 29th of the 100 captured V-2's brought to the U.S. for study by army ordnance personnel. Each rocket was built at approximate cost of $60,000 by Germans in Germany. In recent months parts of missiles have deteriorated, and army has duplicated them in order to put rockets back into operational condition.

Ukrainians in Dominion Mark Julian Christmas

WINNIPEG, Jan. 7 (CP)—Strains of Bob Predvichny, most famous of Ukrainian holiday carols, were heard today throughout communities where Canadians of Ukrainian descent gathered to celebrate their Julian calendar Christmas.

The three-day celebrations began last night with the appearance of the North Star. Twelve were set with 12 meatless dishes, representing the 12 apostles. Ukrainians first sampled kutia, boiled wheat seasoned with honey, then the other dishes. Finally came midnight mass and the Christmas season was underway.

Today carolers made their rounds visiting Ukrainian homes, and singing songs of the Nativity. Best known is Bob Predvichny, which starts "God's Eternal is born unto us and we rejoice."

Carols finished at one house, the singers moved on to others, repeating their songs and receiving money in return. According to custom, such money is used for charitable purposes, either welfare work, church improvements or other similar projects.

Listening to the carolers, who will continue their musical rounds tomorrow, were not only residents of Ukrainian homes, but relatives who trouped in to extend reverent greetings of the season.

Today was a day for family gatherings, with a round of visits continuing until the time-honoured Christmas season ends Friday night.

Tomorrow will be observed as the anniversary of the Virgin Mary and St. Joseph, while Friday is known as the Epiphany Day in memory of the first Christian martyr.

King Forced to Abdicate Claims Swiss Newspaper

GENEVA, Jan. 7 (Reuters)—Former King Michael of Roumania had either "to bow to force or be taken prisoner," the Journal de Geneve declared today quoting a "rare source" for a dramatic account of the methods said to have been used to obtain his abdication.

The newspaper said that December 30, on an urgent and unexpected summons from the Roumanian Prime Minister, Dr. Petru Groza, Michael drove to Bucharest from his palace at Sinaia, where he was spending the Christmas holidays.

In Bucharest, at the palace of his aunt, Princess Elizabeth of Roumania, he found awaiting him Dr. Groza and the Communist vice-premier, George Georgiu-Dej.

The ministers presented him with the act of abdication, in the terms in which it was later published, and asked him to sign it at once.

"Extremely surprised," said the paper, Michael asked for time to study the document. But, looking out of a window, he saw that the palace had been surrounded by a regiment loyal to the Government, and that some engines were waiting outside.

The paper continued: "Michael either had to bow to force or be taken prisoner at the risk of disturbances in the country, and of repressive measures of which his subjects would have been the victims.

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At the Theatres

Exceptional Comedy Stars William Powell

The Day Household on Madison Avenue in New York City in the 80's presided over by Clarence Day, Mr. (William Powell) provides the setting for Warner Bros. production of Clarence Day's memorable "Life With Father," opening at the Royal today. Powell is co-starred with Irene Dunne in this delightful screen version of the celebrated family saga, which boasts of lavish color by Technicolor.

Amusements

ON THE SCREEN

Atlas—Dorothy Lamour and Alan Ladd in "Wild Harvest."

Capital—Bing Crosby and Bob Hope in "Road to Rio."

Dominion — Walt Disney's "Fantasia."

Oak Bay—"Song of the South," by Walt Disney.

Plaza — "Black Narcissus," starring Deborah Kerr and David Farrar.

Rio — Humphrey Bogart and Michèle Morgan in "Passage to Marseille."

Royal — "Life With Father," starring William Powell and Irene Dunne.

Vogue — Dennis Morgan and Jack Carson in "The Time The Place, and the Girl."

First Railway Diesels for Canada

Orders for two of these powerful triple-unit Diesel electric locomotives have been placed by Canadian National Railways. First road Diesels purchased for Canada, they can serve as heavy duty freight locomotives with a top speed of 50 m.p.h., or handle standard Pullman trains up to 102 m.p.h.

"Passage to Marseille" Opens at the Rio

The same inspired combination of directorial and acting talent that made "Casablanca" such a memorable success has turned out another riveting and timely film for Warner Bros. in "Passage to Marseille," which opens today at the Rio. Humphrey Bogart again stars in a cast whose roster reads like a roll-call from "Casablanca"—Claude Rains, Sydney Greenstreet, Helmut Dantine and Peter Lorre to mention but a few—and with Michèle Morgan, Philip Dorn and George Tobias added for good measure. Michael Curtiz directs this new picture.

Talent in Technicolor At the York Theatre

Warner Bros. Oa film studio that gave picture audiences their first taste of lavish musicals and that so recently rang the bell with "Night and Day," carries on the tradition in their latest Technicolor musical extravaganza, "The Time, The Place and the Girl," opening today at the York Theatre. It is the Alex Gottlieb-produced musical festooned with luminaries from the musical and entertainment fields, starring Dennis Morgan, Jack Carson, Jackie Gleason and Martha Vickers.

Realistic Effects Used In "Wild Harvest"

Practically every available stunt man in the motion picture industry appears in Paramount's "Wild Harvest" now at the Atlas Theatre with stars Alan Ladd, Dorothy Lamour, Robert Preston and Lloyd Nolan.

To achieve the desired realistic effect, Director Tay Garnett hired 42 of the expert give-and-take boys to ship their way through a dance hall fight sequence in the action-crammed drama of wheat harvesting. In order not to miss any of the action in the scene, Garnett had four cameras covering the brawl.

DOMINION THEATRE Deems Taylor, music critic, composer, author, radio notable, was a natural selection for the part of commentator in Walt Disney's great concert feature production, "Fantasia." In color by Technicolor, released by R.K.O.-Radio and ending tonight at the Dominion Theatre Taylor has played an essential part in making fine music vitally interesting to millions of people.

PLAZA THEATRE To make the Archers Technicolor production "Black Narcissus," which has been held over at the Plaza Theatre, Producers Michael Powell and Emeric Pressburger knew from the outset that the most important scene would be that of the Palace of Mopu set on the lower slopes of the Himalayas. In this screen version of Rumer Godden's famous novel, the palace is converted into a convent by the Anglo-Catholic nuns.

When bathing your cat, put a piece of wire screening on the bottom of the tub, pasty will have something in hare on to and will be easier to manage.

Avoiding Heart Trouble

By DR. J. B. WARREN

Just as damaged linen, a damaged liver, or damaged kidneys will continue to work for a number of years if not given too much work to do, so also will a damaged heart continue to work.

The lesson for those with heart disease or threatened heart disease is to have a physical examination regularly have infected teeth, tonsils, sinuses, or other infections removed, go to bed immediately when attacked by a cold or other ailment.

(Released by Consolidated News Features, 1947)

Little Stories for Bedtime

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

PETER RABBIT TRIES TO DO THE RIGHT THING

Peter Rabbit learned a long time ago that when he had done a mean or unkind thing he never could feel right in his own mind until he had admitted the whole and said he was sorry. It was hard to do at the time, but afterward he always felt so much better that he often wondered why everybody didn't do the same way. You see Peter is alone a great deal, particularly when he is at home in the dear Old Briar Patch and when he is alone somehow that little small voice down inside that seems always trying to have him do right will keep talking in spite of all he can do if he has done wrong. But since he had spoted on Chatterer the Red Squirrel to find out where Chatterer's new house was he had taken voice had given Peter no rest at all. It quite spoiled Peter's appetite, and when Peter cannot eat you may know that he doesn't feel right at all. He felt a little better after he had made up his mind to go the very next morning and tell Chatterer how mean he had been, but he is such a happy-go-lucky little fellow that I am afraid he would have forgotten all about it if that little small voice down inside hadn't reminded him the very first thing the next morning of what he has to do.

"The sooner it's over the better," thought Peter as he ate a hasty breakfast. Then he started as fast as he could go, lippety, lippety, up the trail of the old Orchard where Chatterer had found a new home. As he drew near he heard voices. Peter stopped to listen. While it isn't at all polite or nice to listen to what other people are saying when they don't know that you are around it is very, very necessary for the little people of the Green Forest and Green Meadows to know who is about, so whenever they hear voices they always stop to listen and make sure who the voices belong to. So Peter stopped and listened for half a minute. That was all he needed to make sure of the voices.

They were the voices of Chatterer and Tommy Tit, the Chickadee. Peter smiled and hurried on. There was nothing to be feared from either and he wanted to get his unpleasant errand finished. As he drew nearer he heard Chatterer laughing fit to kill himself.

"Ha, ha! Ho, ho!" shouted Chatterer.

"He, he, dee dee!" laughed Tommy Tit.

"Must be a great joke, guess I'll hurry and find out what it is, so I can share in the laugh," thought Peter, but just that very minute he heard something that made him stop short. It was his own name.

"And doesn't Peter know now?" asked Tommy Tit between chuckles.

"No," replied Chatterer, wiping tears of laughter from his eyes. "He hasn't any more idea where my new house is than the man in the moon. He thinks he knows, but bless your heart he hasn't any more idea, than you have where it is."

"But I have more than an idea. I know where it is," replied Tommy Tit.

Chatterer stopped laughing. "What's that?" he cried sharply.

"I said that I know," replied Tommy Tit, and laughed harder than ever. "Dee dee! You can't fool me, Chatterer! I'm not Peter Chatterer.

"Guess I'll hurry and find out what I can about this new house," thought Peter

Hypnotist Succeeds In Radio Mesmerism

SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 7 (A.P.Reuters)—A hypnotist tried his powers over the air and three of 30 persons at the studio into a trance.

The experiment in mass mesmerism, which was conducted by Psychic Analist W. J. Crosby of Sydney, also brought a flood of indignant telephone calls from listeners.

When Crosby turned to find 30 of 30 persons in the studio audience hypnotized, it was bad enough. But, in addition, One Woman telephoned to complain tearfully that her husband was still asleep. He was at all. The hypnotist advised her to slap the man a face—gently, but firmly.

Another woman said her husband was still unconscious but she wasn't sure of the cause. Her four-year-old son had dropped a toy engine on his head while he was listening to the broadcast.

"Because I peeped in and saw you in bed before you were awake this morning," replied Tommy Tit. "Of course I wouldn't have peeped in if I had known that you had decided to make your home there, and now that I do know I won't be so impolite again."

Chatterer edged a little nearer to Tommy. "Say," he begged, "promise me that you won't give my secret away. Be a good fellow and promise not to tell anyone where my new house is."

"Of course I'll promise," replied Tommy promptly. "I never meddle in other people's affairs. With that and a farewell "dee dee" Tommy flew over to the middle of the Old Orchard.

Peter Rabbit sat right where he was. He had come up there to repeat what he had heard Chatterer and Tommy Tit say, but he didn't know just where to do it.

Next story—Sammy Jay Brings News.

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TODAY! WALT DISNEY'S technicolor "SONG OF THE SOUTH" Plus John Hodiak Geo. Murphy in "THE ARMED ATTACK" Doors 2.30 Feat. Complete Show at 7.50 OAK BAY

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Finance—Commerce—Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP) — A placid stock market gave scant heed to the President's message to Congress today. Despite many proposals in the message which Wall Street considered starting, prices faded along with only minor satisfaction, mostly unpaid The Associated Press 60-stock average closed 3 of a point higher at 65.5. Of the 928 issues traded, 348 advanced and 328 declined.

Allied Chemical	139	139	139
American Can	68	68	68
American Tobacco 'B'	71	71	71
Anaconda Copper	29	29	29
American Tel. & Tel.	161	161	161
American Woolen	24	24	24
Armstrong Cork	34	34	34
Anheuser Busch	34	34	34
Atchison Topeka	49	49	49
Bethlehem Steel	93	93	93
Bendix Aviation	34	34	34
C. & O. Railway	44	44	44
Chrysler	78	78	78
Columbia Gas	18	18	18
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Consol. Edison	24	24	24
Corn Products	54	54	54
Crucible Steel	26	26	26
Curtiss-Wright	7	7	7
Douglas Aircraft	58	58	58
Du Pont	168	168	168
Eastman Kodak	35	35	35
Erie R.R.	11	11	11
General Electric	34	34	34
General Motors	54	54	54
Goodyear Tire	35	35	35
Great Northern	28	28	28
Int. Harvester	27	27	27
Int. Nickel	35	35	35
Int. Paper	54	54	54
Johns-Manville	67	67	67
Kennecott Copper	32	32	32
Kresge (S. S.)	14	14	14
Lehigh Valley	11	11	11
Loew's Inc.	10	10	10
Lorillard (P.)	20	20	20
Mack Trucks	24	24	24
Montgomery Ward	44	44	44
Nash Kelvinator	9	9	9
National Dairy	24	24	24
National Lead	24	24	24
New York Central	15	15	15
North American	24	24	24
Packard Motor	4	4	4
Penney (J. C.)	59	59	59
Pennsylvania R.R.	27	27	27
Pepsi-Cola	12	12	12
Phillips Petroleum	38	38	38
Pure Oil	14	14	14
Radio Corporation	11	11	11
Reo Motors	2	2	2
Reynolds Tobacco 'B'	34	34	34
Sears Roebuck	34	34	34
Sinclair Oil	15	15	15
Southern Pacific	24	24	24
Standard Oil (N.J.)	65	65	65
Standard Oil (Ind.)	32	32	32
Standard Oil (Ohio)	32	32	32
Stewart Warner	12	12	12
Sunshine Biscuits	34	34	34
Texas Corporation	34	34	34
Texas Gulf Sulphur	34	34	34
Timken Roller Bearing	34	34	34
Union Carbide	34	34	34
Union Oil	34	34	34
United Corporation	34	34	34
United Gas Corp.	34	34	34
United States Steel	34	34	34
Wabash	34	34	34
Westinghouse Electric	34	34	34
Woolworth (F. W.)	34	34	34
Yellow Truck & Coach	34	34	34
Zenith Radio	34	34	34

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Thirty industrials 179.83 up .71
Twenty rails 62.69 up .26
Fifteen utilities 53.32 up .14
Sixty-five stocks 64.95 up .28
Total sales—372,000.

(—B A Number Gold)

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Corn Products	54	54
Crucible Steel	26	26
Curtiss-Wright	7	7
Douglas Aircraft	58	58
Du Pont	168	168
Eastman Kodak	35	35
Erie R.R.	11	11
General Electric	34	34
General Motors	54	54
Goodyear Tire	35	35
Great Northern	28	28
Int. Harvester	27	27
Int. Nickel	35	35
Int. Paper	54	54
Johns-Manville	67	67
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Lehigh Valley	11	11
Loew's Inc.	10	10
Lorillard (P.)	20	20
Mack Trucks	24	24
Montgomery Ward	44	44
Nash Kelvinator	9	9
National Dairy	24	24
National Lead	24	24
New York Central	15	15
North American	24	24
Packard Motor	4	4
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Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, Jan. 7 (CP) — Prices strengthened in increased activity today after a quiet opening as the Toronto Stock Exchange industrial popsicle moved ahead fractionally, although several stocks penetrated in the low columns. Golds and base metals were almost mixed. While Western oils edged gains and losses within a fairly narrow range.

Newsprints and foods were the strong entries among the industrials while utilities and steels were almost even within fractional range. Liquors were quiet while oils turned lower well for Imperial and McCol, both issues posting fan. Highs.

Financial institutions were soft, but agriculture stock were firm. Base metals were strong in improved activity with Noranda leading the list on a gain of almost $1.

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

(Bangor Investments, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi	14	15
Acadia Atl Sugar 'A'	18	19
Acadian Sugar 'A'	14	15
Bathe 'A'	40	41
Bruck Mills	27	28
Bruck Mills 'Class'	17½	18½
Canada Vinegars	9½	4
B.C. Power 'A'	25½	26
B.C. Power 'B'	25½	26
Can Car & Foundry Com	18½	19
Can Car & Foundry 'A'	18½	19
Can Breweries Com	34½	35
Can Breweries Pfd	99½	100
Can Canners Com	7	8
Can Canners Pfd	30	35
Can Chemical Pfd	19	20
Can Cottons	15	16
Can Dredge & Dock	34½	35
Can Locomotive	13	14
Can Oil	9½	10
Cockshutt Plow	14	15
Coast Breweries	2½	3
Consol. Paper	34½	35
Consumers Glass	34½	35
Crown Cork & Seal Com	34½	35
Crown Cork & Seal Pfd	34½	35
Cons. Mining & Smelting	34½	35
Dominion Bridge	34½	35
Dominion Chemical Com	34½	35
Dominion Chemical Pfd	34½	35
Dominion Foundries & Steel	34½	35
Dominion Glass Com	34½	35
Dominion Glass Pfd	34½	35
Dominion Stores	34½	35
Dominion Textile Com	34½	35
Dominion Textile Pfd	34½	35
Dominion Woolens	34½	35
Donnacona Paper	34½	35
Eastern Dairies	34½	35
Fanchon & Marcel	34½	35
Famous Players	34½	35
Fleet Aircraft	34½	35
Fraser Cos.	34½	35
Fred Ahearn 'A'	34½	35
Gatineau Power Com	34½	35
Gatineau Power Pfd	34½	35
Gen. Steel Wares	34½	35
Gen. Steel Wares Pfd	34½	35
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Your Daily Forecast

By EDWARD A. WAGNER
PLANETARY DAILY GUIDE FOR THURSDAY, JANUARY 8, 1948.

Keywords for the day: Celebration, Change, Adaptability.

Thursday in General: Daylight hours are best for seeing others, asking favors, dealing with elders or superiors. Try to have plans set by dinner time. There may be surprise exchange, lack of co-operation in the evening.

If January 8 is your birthdate: "Many Happy Returns." Famous persons born on this date include: Lowell Mason, composer of hymns; Frank N. Doubleday, publisher; Jermain G. Porter, astronomer.

Your Year Ahead: Important help is available to aid you in overcoming problems and completing big jobs. Much luck is promised. The way opens to increased cash resources. Don't let temperament govern in employment matters.

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How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

"THE PROPER STUDY OF MANKIND IS MAN."

This well known saying, for whose origin a reader inquires, is in the measured cadences of the great English poet, Alexander Pope, who did indeed say, in the second epistle of his classic "Essay on Man":

"Know then thyself, presume not God to scan;
The proper study of mankind is man."

However, Pope was not the first to express this idea. Almost a hundred years before the birth of the poet, the French philosopher and theologian, Pierre Charron, said in "The true science and the true study of man is man."

The work in which this appeared was published in 1601, and Pope's "Essay on Man," one of the celebrated "Moral Essays," dates 1733.

And still earlier by about 2,000 years, Plato said:

"Trees and fields tell me nothing, men are my teachers."

Let us hope that the study is a rewarding one in the coming year.

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In many tool steels tungsten may be replaced by molybdenum.

Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "They say that above a hundred men were present."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "cafe"?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Cullinery, millinery, scenery.

4. What does the word "incense" (verb) mean?

5. What is a word beginning with di that means "reduction"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "more than a hundred men." 2. Pronounce ka-fa, first a as in ask (not as in at), second a as in fate, accent second syllable. 3. Culinary. 4. To inflame with anger. "The people are incensed against him." — Shakespeare. 5. Diminution.

LEEDS, England (CP). — Charles Kay said in his will: "Make a toast of rum each day and don't mourn."

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—hosiery, main floor

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gloves, main floor

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SECOND NEWS SECTION

NO. 23—NINETIETH YEAR — VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, THURSDAY, JANUARY 8, 1948

Red Wings Replace Leafs as Top Team

Maple Leafs, Rangers Produce Stirring Hockey Action

Surging Detroit Club Blanks Rangers, 6-0 Take NHL, Ex-Leaf—Leaches Again Shine

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Detroit	18	8	5	104	74	41
Montreal	16	7	6	97	79	38
Rangers	12	14	8	88	112	32
Boston	11	16	7	80	87	29
Canadiens	11	16	5	71	76	27
Chicago	8	23	3	87	133	19

Last night's scores: Detroit 6, Rangers 0. Next game, tonight: Detroit at Canadiens.

DETROIT, Jan. 7 (AP)—Detroit Red Wings made a five-game winning streak into first place in the National Hockey League here tonight by trounching the third-place New York Rangers 6-0 before 12,516 ecstatic fans.

Harry Lumley, Detroit's applecheeked 21-year-old goaltender, turned back 30 Ranger shots, a record his fourth abulous victory of the year and climbs into a tie with Turk Broda of Toronto for the league leadership among the netminders. Each now has pinched 13 goals in 31 games.

Rookies hammered in four of the Red Wings six goals as the red-hots Wings extended their current streak to 12 games with only a single loss.

Don Morrison rapped in two scores in the second period one after a clever feint that drew Goalie Jim Henry out of position for a six-foot shot and the other on a dig-and-stick-handling job that put him in position to shoot from a 15-foot shot. Morrison's goals came less than two minutes apart.

Jim McFadden, Detroit's nominee for the rookie of the year prize, pounded home the fourth goal from the upper right hand corner of the crease from 15 feet out late in the game. Albert Pesehman Marr, Pevenich had taken McFadden's passes from behind the cage and slipped in an slider-footer.

Pete Horeck, deflecting Ted Lindsay's drive, made the Defencemen Bill quackenbush scoring on a 20-foot screen shot, got the other two Detroit goals.

Detroit's continuing surge lifted the Red Wings a point past idle Toronto into the league lead. The Wings jell immediately after the game for Montreal, where they will play home-ice tonight.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Detroit, Quackenbush (Horeck, Abel) 1:55. Penalties: Reise, Colville, Horeck.

Second Period—2, Detroit, D. Morrison (R. Morrison, Comacher) 8:32; 3, Detroit, D. Morrison (Comacher) 18:10; 4, Detroit, Horeck (Abel, Lindsay) 18:42. Penalties: Howe, Goldsworthy, Gardiner, Lewicki.

Third Period—5, Detroit, Pavelich (McFadden, Stewart) 4:09; 6, Detroit, McFadden (Goldsworthy, Horeck) 18:51. Penalty: Warwick.

Due to charges levelled by Frank Boucher, coach of New York Rangers, against Toronto Maple Leafs for rough play, two clubs seem to have each been given a free hand to do as they please in the matter of retaliation. Albert Pelmann caught two great action shots on Sportsday between the fourth and fifth periods of the game between the Leafs and Rangers in which the Leafs fought 5-5 draw at Maple Leaf Garden. On left, Howe Meeker (15) seems to be carrying his head in his hands. Actually, Meeker has just checked Rangers' Tony Leswick and both players are going down. In the Leafs' bench stands Ted Kennedy, Leaf star, who was a Toronto rookie, Sid Smith (16) battles for possession.

Varsity, Tide Play Here January 17 In Important McKechnie Cup Match

University of British Columbia's fully aware that a well-coordinated, powerful English Rugby fifteen, defending McKechnie Cup champions, will meet Victoria's Crimson Tide here on Saturday, January 17, in a cup match which may well decide the resting place of the famed trophy for the next year.

Chosen in the absence of McKechnie Cup fixtures was announced last night by Archie Gibbs, president of the British Columbia Rugby Union. Altering of dates was made necessary by the matches scheduled with the touring Australian international club. In the original schedule, the Tide was slated to meet Varsity in Vancouver on January 17 with the Students here for the return match on February 14. Victoria will now meet Varsity in Vancouver on February 14 with other games in the series remaining as previously scheduled.

The Varsity match is all-important to the Victoria cup holders. At present, Victoria and Varsity are tied for the lead, each having defeated Vancouver Lions. A victory for the university club would give them a stranglehold on the trophy and would mean that Coach Forbes Robertson would have to win its last matches against Lions and Varsity to make certain of remaining in the running. On the other hand, a triumph for the city team would leave them in a position where one victory in their last two matches would insure it of no worse than a tie. The series rulings whereby the cup holders retained the McKechnie Cup in the event of a tie has been changed and the deadlocked clubs will now play off.

Following their surprise victory over Vancouver Lions, supporters of the Tide are hopeful that the club may regain the trophy. Comparative scores of the matches with the Lions give them a talking point. Varsity defeated Lions, 6-4, while the Forbesmen came through with a 8-6 triumph.

Coach Forbes has called for five workouts between now and the 17th.

Maxim Figures Friday's Bout His Big Chance

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP)—Beetle-browed Joey Maxim, the Cleveland heavyweight who Tuesday City Stadium of Boston in Madison Square Garden Friday night, realizes he has the chance of a lifetime to get into the big money class.

"It will be the first time I have fought in the Garden since I was an amateur," the 25-year-old Maxim explained. "I really want to click. I'd rather look good and lose than look bad and win.

"You see, in the Garden if you're good, it can mean a lot to a guy. I can really put you in the big time. A good fight may mean that then on, instead of fighting 10 or 15 times a year, you may fight four or five times for real dough."

Maxim, who bears a striking resemblance, at least physically, to Max Schmeling, the former heavyweight king is managed by Jack O'Keefe, who pilloted Jack Dempsey.

He outpointed Jersey Joe Walcott in 1946 and had two decisions to Ike Cowden, N.J., heavyweight. Since then he has won four successive fights, one by a knockout.

Rallied recently released by the National Boxing Association listed Walcott as the logical contender for the heavyweight division and Tuesday fires among outstanding boxers.—Maxim was fourth.

Tandberg were, has fought in the country and Maxim commentator "the only thing I know about him is that he is a big boy."

Maxim is down to his fighting weight of 180 and both he and his trainer, Al Delmonte, believe he is in the best shape of his career.

Detroit Rookie Gains on N.H.L. Scoring Leader

Detroit's Calder Trophy candidate, Jim McFadden, garnered a goal and an assist in his team's 6-0 victory over the New York Rangers last night to move into a second place to with Syl Apps of Toronto in the NHL scoring race. Although held scoreless, Buddy O'Connor of Rangers still leads by two points.

Oliver Detroit scoring leaders who improved their positions were Ted Lindsay, Gordie Howe and Jack Comacher and Red Abel with two points each.

Leading scorers follow:

	G.	A.	Pts.
O'Connor, Rangers	15	16	34
McFadden, Detroit	15	17	32
Apps, Toronto	14	18	32
Lindsay, Detroit	17	10	30
Howe, Detroit	16	14	30
R. Bentley, Chicago	15	16	29
Lach, Montreal	16	14	27
J. Clancy, Detroit	11	15	26
Warwick, New York	16	8	24
Palm, Chicago	15	10	25
Abel, Detroit	6	17	23
Gee, Chicago	11	10	24
Richard, Montreal	11	10	21
G. Stewart, Chicago	10	11	21
Blake, Montreal	8	14	22

Says Red Sox Offer Suitable

BOSTON, Jan. 7 (AP)—Ted Williams, the American League's top slugger, today gave General Manager Joe Cronin of the Boston Red Sox double assurances that he is satisfied with his 1948 salary terms.

"Figures discussed regarding 1948 contract (C. F. Williams wired from Fairfax, Minn.

Shortly after Cronin received the telegram, Ted called him on the phone. "I'm feeling fine," Williams reported "I'm enthusiastic about the coming season and can hit 300 per McCarthy I'm determined to duplicate my 1947 performance."

Cronin, in line with the club policy, refused to disclose the salary he discussed. But it can be taken for granted that owner Tom Yawkey was in the mood to reward Williams for his prodigious batting feats with a generous salary boost that may mak him the highest-paid star in baseball history.

He is reported to have drawn around $70,000 last season when he topped the American League's batters with a .369 average. He clouted 32 home runs, scored 126 runs, drove in 114 and drew 145 bases on balls.

Rightfielder Joe Dobson, the Bosox' ace moundman, also has agreed to his 1948 terms and contracts have been signed by Catchers Birdie Tebbetts and Sonny Martin, drafted from the Toledo American Association Clubs' and Southpaw Mickey Harris.

Defencemen Failure As Counsel

DETROIT, Jan. 7 (AP)—Fifteen members at the Detroit Red Wings National Hockey League Club appeared in traffic court today to lend "moral support" to the defense of 22-year-old defenceman Leonard (Red) Kelly.

Kelly, charged with making an improper left turn while driving, entered with dismay as his defense defencemen, Jack Stewart, acted as defense counsel.

Stewart's questions and apparent lack of legal knowledge prompted Judge John Waite to tell Kelly:

"You had better get another attorney before you go to jail. This man (Stewart) sounds more like a prosecutor."

Kelly was convicted, but sentence was suspended.

Single Upset Marks Early Play In $23,000 Nipawin Bonspiel

NIPAWIN, Sask., Jan. 7 (CP)—A second and almost 2,000 wagering fans turned out for the opening round of the $23,000 Nipawin automobile bonspiel here today. But the favorites didn't have too easy a time.

Howard Wood of Winnipeg, last year's winner of the spiel, a major prize of four automobiles, defeated W. A. Young of Cutslie, Sask. 13-10 after an exceptionally close battle.

The lone upset came in what was billed as the feature match of the draw when Bobby Alexander's Calgary quartette easily downed the powerful Billy McLeod rink of Winnipeg, 14-4. The Alberton took a 8-0 lead after four ends and contained home from there.

Bonspiel President Cliff McDonald granted a close 12-10 victory over Shamrock H. Kenner skide another crowd-favorite, an all-Chinese rink skipped by George Hong of Kelvington, was not as fortunate losing 13-16 to Don Sinclair of Nipawin.

Before play opened this morning a parade, led by the Nipawin and Melfort bands, welcomed the curlers with light Scottish airs as the kilted pipers swung along the Main Street to the rink. The presence of the pipers alone with the bright sweaters of the curlers added a colorful touch to the ceremony.

Mayor William Botting, after presenting a key to the town to Howard Wood, as last year's winner, opened the spiel by throwing the first rock, which slid into the ring.

Results follow:

1 p.m. draw. No. 1 event—

E Lonarmen, Flin Flon, 11, Stan Glover, Saskatoon, 10.

D. Bennett, Cowan, 10, H. P Craig, Foam Lake, 6.

A. Cowie, Pharnorne, 9, O. Furnesz, Nipawin, 8.

C. Jamieson, Davidson, 18, N. Gagnon, Chaplin, 1.

W. J. Childs, Regina, 16, M. J Larsen, Pontrilas, 13.

R Hadden, Nipawin, 18; T. Bryan, Cutslie, 8.

J Peters, Carrot River, 16, A. Lucas, Carrot River, 11 (11 ends).

Dr H E McKellar, Carlyle, 18; P Forsythe, Brandon, 10.

J. F. B. John, Imperial, 12, J P Maywood, Nipawin, 10.

Bert Robertson, Edmonton, 18; G Purminger, Prince Albert, 8.

E. A. Kelly, Swift Current, 10, D Kerr, Carlyle, 7.

6 p.m. draw. No. 1 event—

W Wilbowen, Nipawin, 11, O Adams, Nipawin, 4.

J Reed, Tisdale, 30, H G Neufeld, Nipawin, 8.

A. D. McFadden, Lacombe, 11, J Gunther, Prince Albert, 6.

O Partridge, Nipawin, 12, W C Cameron, Nipawin, 8.

H H Henschel, Heathers, 18, W Gradson, Limerick, 10.

J. C. Sinclair Nipawin, 16; W Loch, Nipawin, 8.

J. McDougall, Nipawin, 11, J Backwell, Island Falls, 10.

J. R. Sinclair Nipawin, 8, W E. Nixon, Abbey, 5.

Jack Brewer, Yangham, 14, C. B. Bohlken Hoerner, 4.

Jim Hill, Laura, 14, L. Hayes Hoerner, 6.

E. Fofad Weldon, 11, R. H. Hopkins, Nipawin, 10.

T pm. draw. No. 1 event—

G McMahon, Pleasler, 8; E D Cook, Flin Flon, 7.

Jack Beasley, Delisle, 17; J M Wilson, Nipawin, 4.

Leo Johnson, Winnipeg, 11, W A Cochrane, Binscarth, 10.

Ed Pearson, Nipawin, 18, N W Switzer, Melfort, 8.

Howard Wood, Winnipeg, 13, A Young, Cutslie, 10.

Grant Watson, Winnipeg 9, N H Holmes, Cabri, 7.

E C Moffat, Nipawin, 12, T Rudolfson, Kinistino, 6.

O. Hansen, Rouleau, 11, A Gaskill, Fleximoller, 1.

W Cleveland, Fairlight, 7, A J Weber, Meadow Lake, 8.

Sport Roundup

BY HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP)—Off the season's first returns, it appears that some ambitious young runners will have a lot of competition in the stirring up sentiment during the United States indoor track season. Racing without spikes on flat Armory floors Saturday, Browning Reid of Villanova ran a 4:13.9 mile and Larry Ellis, New York University freshman, did 4:16 throwing a big handicap field. Such things, while they help to brine out new talent, can be a pain in the neck to veteran cup chasers during an Olympic year.

These youngsters are willing to go all out from the start in hopes of making for the Olympics team. The veterans, while they like to win the big Winter races, want to reach their peak for the mid-Summer games.

IF KNOWLD HAPPEN OFTENER

The last sentence of the minutes of the recent meeting of Western Conference tennis coaches reads: "It was moved by Brain, seconded by Swain, that the meeting be adjourned. The motion passed."

TOWN TITLE ACTIVITY

United States finalists support may be sought for the proposed American tour of the two Australian rifles football teams. Percy Page, secretary of the Australian National Football Council, said that the east would be too great to be met by the four Rules Leagues that make up the council.

It is estimated that a month's tour with matches at the principal cities only would cost up to £50,000 ($200,000). The only way to meet this expense would be for American business men or sportsmen to provide a guarantee.

It is proposed that the teams, selected from Victoria and the other from Western and South Australia, should visit America at the end of this year.

Alex Anchor Not Able to Coach O.C. Puck Squad

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP) — John Ahearne, secretary of the British Ice Hockey Association, announced today that Alex Archer, formerly of Winnipeg, would not coach Great Britain's hockey team at the Olympic Games at the end of this month.

Archer, who played on Britain's victorious 1936 Olympic team, is coach of Wembley Lions of the National League and authoritative sources informed Ahearne that it will not be possible for Archer to make the trip. No specific reason was given.

The team will be handled by Cecil Rhard, who captained Britain's team 11 years ago and who now is vice-president of the BIHA.

Mystery Bowler Trundles Two Perfect Games?

Did he or didn't he, has been the question around the Bowling Alleys for several days, as bowlers discuss the biggest sports mystery of the year.

It happened on the afternoon of December 31, when a man in riveter identified only as a member of the Canadian Navy, rolled three games of Dreptins by himself, put on his hat and coat, quietly paid for his bowling and left.

After he had left, it was discovered that he had marked down 27 successive strikes and that his last two games were both perfect 450 scores after a 307 opening game, for the amazing total of 1,157 pins.

Harry Stuart, Bowladrome manager, noticing the scoreboards, asked one of his employees if some young sters had been fooling around and was told that the sheets had been turned in by the unknown trundler. No method of checking was possible, except the pinboys, who maintained that the mystery bowler had rolled nothing but strikes after a mediocre start. Latest reports have it that several Dreptin teams are keeping a representative on hand at the Bowladrome just in case this bowling phenomenon should turn up again for another afternoon of recreation.

Seattle Downs Hornets 60-44; Price Is Star

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	Pct.
Seattle	10	4	.714
Bellingham	12	7	.632
Victoria	11	8	.579
Tacoma	11	8	.579
Astoria	7	10	.412
Portland	2	16	.111

SEATTLE, Jan. 7 (AP)—Playing his best game of the season, Bernie Price, Seattle forward, sank 28 points tonight tallied 84 points—22 in the second half—to lead the league leaders to a 60-44 win over Vancouver in a Pacific Coast pro basketball game.

The loss dropped the visitors from second to third place behind Bellingham.

Seattle broke out in front at the start, taking a 7-0 lead, and never allowed the half 34-14. Norm Baker collected 17 points to lead the Hornets.

Ken Burnette, new Seattle acquisition from Sheboygan, Wis., made his debut with the home team and scored 10.

Seattle—Gilbertson 10, Dahlberg 6, Sweeney 8, Leask 7, Price 28, White 1. Total, 60.

Vancouver—Baker 17, Lawson 2, Burnette 10, Fraley 4, Nelson 1, Venables 8, Chapman 6. Total, 44.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Jan 7 (AP)—The Bellingham Picrnsia held a slight edge throughout the entire second half tonight to beat the Portland Mountaineers 61-48 in a Pacific Coast Pro Basketball League game.

Bellingham—Bishop 10, Ward 8, Gaines 8, Akins 8, Dorr 7, Mull 12, Patterson 6. Total, 61.

Tacoma—Kalles 11, Endress 4, Graf 7, J. Yerker 5, R. Yerker 6, Sigurdson 2, Cross 7. Total, 46.

ASTORIA, Ore., Jan 7 (AP)—The Astoria Chinooks had to break away from four deadlock scores in the third and fourth quarter of a Pacific Northwest professional basketball game tonight to edge the Portland Indians 49-45, and take both games of the series.

The defeat was the 12th encountered for the Portlanders, who last year captured the league title.

Portland—Ferrin 2, Hoover 2, Jorgensen 11, Rose 1, Rodriguez 10, Sutherland 7. Total, 45.

Astoria—Wirkkanen 7, E. Anderson 5, Hays 10, Howard 11, Lovrisce 6, F Anderson 6. Total, 45.

Vancouver Pro Golfer Gets Job at Winnipeg

CALGARY, Jan. 7 (CP)—Leo Seven, 36, Vancouver professional golfer, has been appointed pro of St. Charles Country Club, Winnipeg. He was notified of the appointment today.

Bo was assistant pro at the Banff Springs course last Summer and since the close of the season has been sports supervisor of the Calgary Glencoe Club.

"Y" Trims Legion; Tie for Cage Lead

Bustier Jackson Leads Club to 52-37 Win—Hudson's Bay, Tillicums Take Other Games

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	F	A	Pts
Y.M.C.A.	6	1	248	179	12
B.A.'s	6	1	229	172	12
Can. Legion	6	1	235	178	12

The Y.M.C.A. outfit at Gorges were petrified led into a share of the first place in the league standings by Captain Bustier Jackson, who posted 25 points in his team's 52-37 triumph over the Canadian Legion quintette at the High School last night.

Hudson's Bay quite took a 60-37 decision from Comets and Tillicums edged First United, 30-33, in the intermediate "B" boys' game that opened the hoop card.

With his scoring ace, Johnny Clarke, out of action with an injured knee and Rookie Wright, also suffering from a knee injury, available for limited play only, Coach Archie McKinnon brought up Johnny Field from the Spitfires intermediate "B" club to aid his new members Red Mason and Gar Taylor, in strengthening the club.

All three gave good performances and played a big part in the "Y" victory, although not making a big impression on the score sheet. Mason, especially, proved very effective worrying the Legion defenders with his speed and setting up Jackson and Ty Ty for setting shots.

Winners looked back in the early part of the game as their guards went astray and they failed to control the backboard. They overcame an early Legion lead of 11-8 to take a 8-6 margin at the quarter and increased it to 20-14 at the half.

Ralph Baker and Syd Malcolm proved deadly on long shots from the lower with 12 and 10 points, respectively. Dale Hollowed Jackson in the thirty-minute contest with 13 points.

BOYS SPARKS BAYS

Mary Caulillo counted nine points for the Bays in the first quarter as the sparked the score girls into a 10-4 lead. Buddy Stevens took over the scoring punch in the second canto as the winners increased the margin to 36-14 at the half.

Elmer Mathews and Owen Bentley led Tillicums to the win in the intermediate game. Mathews accounted for nine points in the first half as the club went into the lead 15-13, and Bentley potted nine in the second half as the churchmen could not hit the hoop.

Line-ups follow:

Legion—Fox 4, Hall 8, Creed, Bomgraven, Baker 16, Watson 10, Long 4. Total 37.

Y.M.C.A.—Dale 11, Jackson 25, Goldsmith 5, Wright, 3, Taylor, Mason 2, Clarkson 8, Strahth 3 Field. Total 52.

H.B.C.—Caillo 15, Trevelyan, Carlino 4, E. Stevens 3, B. Stevens 10, Peden 5, Murray 4. Total 41.

Comets—McDonald 5, J Bradshaw 5, Horton 4, Matthson 2, D Bradshaw 8, Leggatt, Mair 4, Clothy 4, Hancock 4. Total 27.

Tillicums—Mathews 12, Davison, Green, Dennis McGee 8 Don McGee, Bentley 9 Ritchie 8, Rothwell 4, Allen 1. Total 30.

First United—Acreman 5, Nash 4, Oakey 1, Day 8, Nicholson Mackay, Boyd 4. Total 23.

Amateur Champions To Tackle Harpurs

VANCOUVER, Jan 7 (CP)—The Vancouver Clover Leafs, Canadian amateur basketball champions, and the Vancouver Harpurs, the nation's only professional hoop squad, will stage an exhibition game at the Forum February 8 after the Leafs return from their current South Pacific tour.

Since the Clover Leafs won their Dominion title, argument as to which of the two teams is superior has waged fast and furious.

The Leafs will return from their Pacific jaunt January 24 and will start training for the big game immediately.

Victoria United Idle This Week

Manager Ray Barton will have an entire week in which to plan winning strategy for his Victoria United eleven. The Blanchies are idle this week-end, journeying to Vancouver to meet North Shore Spitfires the next Pacific Coast League start on January 17.

Next home game for the United is scheduled for January 24 with the Reds providing the opposition St. Andrews return to Victoria a week later.

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Even Doug Bentley Is Puzzled By Shooting Accuracy of Max

TORONTO, Jan 8 (CP)—Doug Bentley, who ought to know how Max Bentley scores those amazing shots from any angle and position? Brother Doug, who has played with Max since he was old enough to totddle to an open-air rink in Delisle, Sask, has the answer: "I never could figure it out either."

Maybe it's a family secret, even though the famous brothers now are parted in National Hockey League circles, the Chicago Black Hawks will pick up in Montreal in a few weeks. Doug doesn't thing present-day hockey is tough as rough as when he turned pro with the Hawks in 1936 when "a little guy didn't have much chance." In those days all opponents seemed huge to Doug who weighed but 122 pounds, 18 pounds lighter than today.

As to reports that he's considering retirement, Doug figures he has two good seasons left. What about after that? Doug doesn't think present-day hockey is tough as rough as when he turned pro with the Hawks in 1936 when "a little guy didn't have much chance." In those days all opponents seemed huge to Doug who weighed but 122 pounds, 18 pounds lighter than today.

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Doug is now 31. Looking ahead to 1948 and the way it is going they won't have to worry when their boys give out.

Racing Results At Santa Anita

FIRST RACE—Brigh. Asset, Sir Ivan, Bar Of Peace. Scratched: Blue Pabo.

SECOND RACE—Jimmy The Greek, Bolsam, Bar Mac. Scratched: War Man, Bolt, Chief Tecumseh, Bolsam a Chance Boy.

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FOURTH RACE—Dynam, Mind Reading, Thin Ice, Marion Pete.

FIFTH RACE—Mr. Jinks, Pedal Mr. Scratched: Very Blue.

SIXTH RACE—Good Neighbor, Mabel, Dark Air.

SEVENTH RACE—Star Spangled, Jamaica, Lead Pipe, Scratched: Jamaica.

EIGHTH RACE—Dream Lord, Pay Dirt, Scratched: Dream Lord.

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1 BIRTHS

ADAMS—To Mr. and Mrs. H. Adams (nee Helen Dewar), 1589 Quadra Street, at St. Joseph's Hospital, on January 5, a daughter, Margaret Louise.

DARKEY—At St. Joseph's Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Darkey, 892 Darwin Avenue, a son, Douglas Brian.

2 DEATHS

CORFIELD—Three second years on the province to January 7 1948 Mr. Thomas Corfield age 87 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Corfield, 1250 Fairfield Avenue. Funeral Mr. John Corfield's residence, 1250 Fairfield Avenue, on Friday, January 9, at 2 p.m. Interment Ross Bay Cemetery.

DOW—On January 1, 1948, at 1600 Oscar Street, Beverly Ann Young Dow, aged 18 years, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Young Dow, sister of Mrs. Bill Wade and a Brownie of Cedar Hill Pack. Funeral Service at Thomas Gardens Chapel on Friday, January 9, at 2:15 p.m. Interment Ross Bay Cemetery.

MACTON—Suddenly on January 5, 1948, Victoria, Mrs. Ann Macton, widow of the late Mr. Hedley Macton, formerly of Funeral from Hetherington's Ltd., Funeral Chapel, Friday, January 9, at 2:30 p.m. Interment Oak Bay Cemetery.

LEVY—Thirty second year at her residence, 1010 Balmoral Road, Victoria, Mary Ann Levy in her 87th year. Born in London, England, she came to Victoria 60 years. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Solomon Levy, and three grandchildren, all of Victoria, three great-grandchildren, all of Victoria, and a sister, Mrs. Ellen Cohen, mother of the Brownies, Lone Star and the Daughters of Rebekah and Mrs. Ellen Cohen, mother of the Brownies, Lone Star and the Daughters of Rebekah and Mrs. Ellen Cohen, mother of the Brownies, Lone Star and the Daughters of Rebekah. The funeral will take place on Friday, January 9, at 2 p.m. in the chapel of Hayward's Funeral Home. Rev. Rabbi Wichman will officiate. Interment in the Ross Bay Cemetery.

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MEADEY—On January 6 1948 at Brentwood Hospital, Mr. Thomas Meadey, aged 72 years, aged but born in Penge, Kent, England, beloved husband of Mrs. Meadey, Victoria, Grove Street, Brentwood, father of Mrs. Grace Weatherby, Victoria, Mrs. Ivy Grant, Victoria, Mrs. Mabel Bowerman, Victoria, Mrs. Mabel Bowerman, Victoria, Mrs. Mabel Bowerman

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After the aforementioned date the assets will distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have notice.

Dated this 6th day of January, 1948.

JOSEPH MCKENNA,
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Tenders to be in duplicate sealed envelopes marked on the outside "Tender for Truck and Power Saw" and addressed to:

The Secretary,
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Tenders to be accompanied by a certified cheque for 10% of the amount of the tender.

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NOTE —Watch week-end papers for Important Sale of Property.

USUAL MORNING SALE, 10:30

Poultry, Vegetables, Bush Doors, Drain Tile, Trunks, Carbage Cans, Chicken Wire, Useful Furniture, Etc.

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Kings Among Notables Who Died in Past Year

By The Canadian Press

It was a grim year for the state of the world in 1947 that one of the world's prominent figures to die during the year did so in his own hand and few blamed him for his act.

John O Winant, M. United States ambassador to Britain during the war years and a prominent statesman, PLUNGED IN ATLANTIC FOR-GETTING HIS LIFE.

Himself November 3 in his New England home. Friends said he had been despondent for months over the failure of the coming military peace to bring peace to the rest of the world.

The Year also brought death to one of the globe's remaining monarchs—King George II of Greece and King Christian X of Denmark—former King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, who died just before the year's end, and Earl Baldwin of Bewdley three times prime minister of Great Britain.

A prince of the Roman Catholic church, Archbishop Francis Vuillevoye, Archbishop of Quebec, Most Rev. D. T. Owen, Anglican Archbishop of Toronto and Primate of all Canada and Viscount Bennett, former prime minister of the Dominion, were among prominent Canadians who died during the year.

A liberal like Winant and a man of many parts, Florello H LaGuardia, who died in spring, the end of April lost to the world. Former reform mayor of New York, director general of U.N.R.R.A. columnist and broadcaster, he died in New York September 20.

EUROPEAN MONARCHS

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Viscount Bennett, who went to England to the late 1930's and received his title, died at his home in Mickleham Surrey, December 26 at the age of 76 Long prominent in Canadian affairs, he was Prime Minister from 1930 until 1935.

Henry Ford died April 7 at the age of 84 at his home near Detroit. Ford was a pioneer in motor industry and in which the industrialist was a leader. The industry lost another pioneer in William C Durant, 86 founder of the huge General Motors

Guggenheim. He died March 17 in New York.

Many titles passed in succession during 1947. The Earl of Harewood, son-in-law of the King, Kent and husband of the Princess Royal, died May 24 at Harewood House Leeds.

Among other titled personages who died during the year were Lord Wavell, 64, viceroy of India, Lord Cranborne, 55, British M. P. Lord Cranborne, 55, British M. P. Lord Cranborne, 55, British M. P.

AN APPLE FOR EVE

KATHLEEN NORRIS

CHAPTER XIX—Continued

The others exchanged stupified glances. But Loveday and Mary never moved their eyes from each other.

"You couldn't dream all that," Loveday whispered.

"But I was born in France. I did not come to this country until I was 18."

"But you couldn't dream all that!" She turned to the older girl. "Mary—why, that we had a house at Saint-Cloud and I went to school there and Tante Rose and my—my—I knew—or she told me part and I know the rest—that we had Valerie—Valerie was my nurse who died—and then my father and mother were dead and I was to be an American. We went to England, we were two years in England. I was 12 then, and then back to Paris and Italy, and to China and then I came to America, and so we came to Santa Barbara, and I was coached for college and took my pre-med at Stanford."

"You had no relatives in France?"

"A lot of my little fellows had no relatives in 19-18."

"She Mrs. Rose Weir went over there immediately after the war?"

"In 19-19. She had lived there before the war."

"Hugh Gurney was lost in 15," Warren St. George said. "Through that bureau, by what authority did he get hold of you?" he continued.

"Ah, that I wouldn't know. Valerie, who brushed Tante Rose's clothes and took me to school, used to kiss me and cry sometimes, and thinking it over now she must have known. I'e sometimes wondered if perhaps I was her child or her sister's child—something like that. I've asked my aunt, but she always looks so most frightened. I'm sure I'm little anything of me apparently she never told my aunt.

"But you're talking," Loveday said breathlessly, "as if you believed your nurse—as this—knew everything about it was all a dream."

"Oh, no," he answered with a bewildered little shake of his head. "I know now it wasn't a dream. The French part was a dream.

"Mrs. Weir is in Santa Barbara, Mary?" Warren St. George asked.

"In a sanatorium there—very comfortable, with nurses—but an invalid. I see her whenever I go south, and she knows me, but she thinks I'm a world of her own. They tend to her and bring her fresh handkerchiefs and little trays. Everything is slipping away from her now."

"We will have to see her," the older man said. "We will arrange it soon."

Mary rose and crossed the little space that lay between his chair and Loveday's. He knelt down and took her two hands.

"Will you have me for your brother, Loveday?" he asked. Her eyes came again, and she laid her forehead against his without speaking.

CHAPTER XX

Rose Weir, 70 years old, received her callers with great dignity. Her nurses had done their best for her in the way of curls, rouge, powder, filmy lace, and silk bedcover, and she made an imposing picture against her mountain of pillows. It was so swiftly to be observed that the old lady—in a magnificent sort of way—was feeble-minded, that Warren St. George, prepared to put her through a rather sharp cross-examination, found himself disarmed.

Yes, it was true, she said, smiling childishly, after apologizing in purlinsteds for receiving these strangers, while in bed and holding with a rather pathetic affection to Mary's hand while she talked as if he sanctioned her so reality, quite true that Mary was an American child, a Californian too.

"It was when I was going back to Paris—my adored Paris—before America was in the war. My little nursegirl at Saint-Cloud had been locked for a year, and I'd been so homesick I had my maid, Valerie Villard, a poor girl, who'd been widowed and had lost her only child and a Parisian driver, but I didn't want to drive all the way to New York from Santa Barbara, so I went by train, and Valerie and Bonfaro brought on the car. I was taking it to France.

"Valerie was of course, going with me, and our arrangements had been to take her poor little boy, Marcel, with us. He girlhood was written on her passport, and that was probably what put it into her head when she and Bonfaro found this poor little fellow, half-starved, feverish, almost half-witted after wandering about alone in the woods. Valerie said that he looked like her child—Bonfaro didn't interfere—and they brought him straight on to the hotel and put him to bed. It was days before he was well enough to talk, and then he had forgotten everything—poor baby! Valerie had told me he was her cousin's child, who had gotten lost in the woods. Wasn't that, old Mrs. Weir said in coquettish appeal "too naughty of her? But he hadn't adored him from the beginning, and we got him on the ship with no trouble at all. It seems to me I didn't have a passport then, or did I? Anyway, I didn't have to answer any questions, and we got him to Paris without difficulty. I always called him my 'war orphan.' When Valerie died Marc was just like my son, and I hope I gave him every advantage a son could have. But, Warren, Rose Weir went on with a pink-cheeked, reminiscent smile, "I've got a bone to pick with you! You never come and see me. It takes all this silly business about Marc to get you to call on Santa Barbara!"

And she patted Warren's hand with a fat, white, beautily flushed hand.

"It's all a beautiful vague dream to her," Hugh, getting used now to the sound of his rightful name, reported to Loveday, said later. "But there isn't any question that she told us what happened. The Filipino houseboy wouldn't have interfered, and Valerie evidently thought that he's getting her own child back."

Hugh came and went in her house familiarly. Larry liked him, enjoyed discussing farm affairs with him, and presently Hugh had his own room and was contributing to the family exchequer as if it were the most natural thing in the world. He was a joyous nature; everything was exciting to Hugh; the old house rang with laughter and chatter when he was there. The children adored him, and his manner with them was that of an equal; he talked to them seriously, brought them small gifts in his pockets. "What of this large fortune that our grandfather was supposed to have lost or given away?" Hugh asked Loveday. "Uncle Warren told me of it to him before I dreamed that I would have any interest in it. I suppose they hunted for it? He asked questions everywhere as to where he might have put it, or to whom he might have paid it?"

"Everywhere! Everybody! My mother and grandmother told me that not a thing before they died, they had detectives here poking in rafters and taking up floor boards. They went upstairs to the barn and to the top of the windmill, but nothing was found."

"I never rake out a chicken nest without taking a good look behind it," Larry said.

"Well, you know, I think we must find it!" Hugh observed with his ingenuous smile.

"I was thinking," Loveday contributed, "that if we had sold this place all those years when we needed the money terribly, we would have thought it was great luck. But then I never would have found you, Hugh."

"But there's another thing, Loveday," her brother said, leaning forward to extend his coffee cup for a second helping, "wasn't there a reward offered for the discovery of the lost child—of me, there we hoped sounds? Was that reward claimed?"

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News of Vancouver Island

Alberni to Debate Cost Of District Protection

ALBERNI, Jan. 7—Revision of police costs for the year will be discussed with Commissioner J. Shiras of the Provincial Police by the municipal council at its regular meeting on Friday. The council will also discuss with the school board the opening of a street and water connections at the location of the new Coli District School.

Mayor J. V Hills announced the following committees for the year with the first-named alderman in each case chairman:

Finance, Aldermen Watson, C Taylor and P Skipsey.

Public Works, Aldermen Skipsey, J. G. Trebett and Edward Cox.

Water, Aldermen A. C. MacGillivray, Skipsey and Trebett.

Fire and Light, Aldermen Cox, McGillivray and Taylor.

Lands, Aldermen Taylor, Cox and Watson.

Health and Welfare, Aldermen Trebett, Watson and MacGillivray.

Hospital board representative, Ald. Taylor, and library representative, Ald. Cox.

Special Building Committee, Aldermen Skipsey, Watson and Trebett.

Assessment Board, approved by the council, Mayor Hills and Aldermen Skipsey, MacGillivray, Taylor and Watson.

MAYOR J. V. HILLS

Mayor Hills announced the council would meet every two weeks in regular session. Aldermen approved a request from members of the public works department for plans to pay all civic employees twice a month.

A request of the Alberni District Memorial Centre Committee for financial assistance was referred to committee of the whole.

Construction Sets Record at Nanaimo

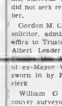
NANAIMO, Jan. 7.—According to figures released at the City Hall, Nanaimo building permits set a record last year, and indications are that 1948 will see a large increase over 1947.

Permits for 1947 topped by $100,000 those of 1946, and totalled $354,746. Total for 1946 was $254,000.

A good start has already been made for 1948, with a permit for construction of a $35,000 school, and another for $1,700,000 wharf and terminal project here

tion, it is expected that the C.P.R. will soon make application for permits for several buildings in connection with its $1,700,000 wharf and terminal project here

Woman Trustee Heads Alberni Valley Board



PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 7.—Trustee Mrs J. E. McEachern was elected chairman of the board of trustees of Alberni School District No 70 at the first meeting of the year. She succeeds W. R. D. Brown, who did not seek re-election last December.

Gordon M. Campbell, school board solicitor, administered the oath of office to Trustees Mrs. C. H. Pinson, Albert Leader and C. D. Bryson, re-elected, and to Trustee Mrs. J. E. McEachern, who succeeds ex-Mayor W. C. Hamilton, was sworn in by Franak L. Kitto, city clerk.

William G McElhanney, Vancouver surveyor, advised the board by letter that he would survey school sites to be used under the $1,255,000 building program approved by ratepayers last month.

Mr Campbell suggested that surveys be made without delay because action towards expropriation of land might have to be taken.

Trustees received a letter from Hubert Savage, Victoria architect, requesting that he be advised when the survey would commence so he could also go over the grounds.

A communication from the Federal Department of Labor, regarding passage of school by-laws at Port Alberni, Alberni and in rural areas, and stated that a certificate of approval would be issued within 30 days.

Electric Wire Causes Death

CHEMAINUS, Jan. 7.—A coroner's jury inquiring into the death of Russel B Williams, carpenter at the Victoria Lumber Co. Ltd. sawmill, brought in a verdict of accidental death tonight.

The jury decided that death was caused when Williams came in contact with an electric wire. No rider was attached to the verdict.

C P Allen was foreman of the jury.

Quits Guild Post At Port Alberni

PORT ALBERNI, Jan 7 After 18 years as secretary-treasurer of St. Alban's Anglican Church Guild, Mrs. C Pope tendered her resignation at the annual meeting. It was accepted with regret, and a warm tribute as paid to her services by the vicar, Rev. C H Greenfield. Mrs Cecil Gregory will replace Mrs. Pope.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Howard G Winter, president, Mrs. Lorne Hazelwood, vice-president, and Mrs A M Robertson and Mrs. W Clayton St vestling committee.

After presentation of annual reports by members, Mr. Greenfield's congratulated the guild on a successful year

Test Island Cows

COBBLE HILL, Jan 7 Two Jersey cows owned by F A Cullen, Deerhaven Farm, Cobble Hill, showed excellent records under Government H O P tests

In the four year junior 365-day test, Noble's Iris Bell No. 16348, daughter of Rosemont Standard's Noble No 10121, and Weinder June No 164555 produced 10 338 pounds of milk with 534 pounds of butterfat, a percentage of 5 16

Noble's Minnie June No 151633, a six-year junior, out of the same sire, showed 8 291 pounds of milk with 384 pounds of butterfat, a percentage of 4 63

TO VISIT LAKE COWICHAN

LAKE COWICHAN, Jan 7—Lake Cowichan C C F Club is making plans for a public meeting to be held shortly, at which Samuel Guthrie, M.L.A., will be the guest speaker. A card party will be held in February

Huge Fish Skeleton Story Travels Far

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 7. The same lonesome story to see if he could see signs of an oking shark, or catch a similar specimen.

Whether it was found by N F Schwarz and associates at Vernon Bay, Barkley Sound, is causing comment around the world

It was recently discussed on the Lowbrow Anglers program over radio station KIRO, Seattle.

Charles Jel of Port Alberni, and Dan a Detroit, Mich. newspaper discussed the discovery editorially, and a local camera company had a request for pictures from Life Magazine

Albini Hopori came from Tomiki Inokawa, a former pupil at Alberni Girls' School, who went to Japan with her father prior to the World War. Miss Tmikawa, who is now working at Osaka, Japan, as interpreter for the American Red Cross, said in a letter to George Bird here, that the Japanese papers carried a story of the finding of the huge skeleton.

Mr. Schwarz said today he was not convinced that the sea serpent story is a myth.

Some time ago he caught an odd-shaped fish off the West Coast, and threw it back into the sea because it did not belong to any known commercial variety Since his more recent discovery he has been thinking about the former catch, and believes it may have been an infant sea serpent.

He said he had purchased a fishing vessel and planned in return to

DISCOVERERS BELIEVE IN SERPENT IDENTITY

Photograph shows N F. Schwarz, Port Alberni, holding head of what he and his associates firmly believe is that of sea serpent. At right is part of skeleton more than 40 feet long Remaining were discovered at Vernon Bay, Barkley Sound. Mr. Schwarz is of opinion that baby sea serpents exist on West Coast of Vancouver Island, and plans to purchase fishing vessel to conduct search.

Ask for Morgue At Port Alberni

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 7 Establishment of a city morgue was requested of the City Council by the 77 Tasi Company which operates an ambulance service The company pointed out difficulty was experienced in cases when the ambulance took persons to hospital, and they turned out to be dead on arrival. A city morgue would enable ambulance operators to know where to take the remains, and give proper attention to relatives The matter was referred to the city solicitor for a report.

Duncan Veterans Install Officers

DUNCAN, Jan 7 At a meeting of Cowichan Branch, Canadian Legion, the new president, L. W Matthew, and his executive were installed by A. J. Castle O. T Smythe president for 1946 and 1947, was presented with a past president's badge by Mr. Castle Sixteen new members were welcomed.

New members of the executive are Mr. Matthew, first vice-president, J. E Moore, second vice-president, R P Bonner, committee, Miss C. F. Greenwood, Miss M E Masters, and Mr. Smythe, R. Baxendale, C. E L. Bradley, J R. LeQuesne, E Frankwater, A J. Castle and T. M Wilson.

An entertainment committee consisting of Mr Matthew, W. J. B Hatre and T Brewer was appointed for the year.

Mr Smythe, who has been handling publication of The Cowichan Veteran, the branch's paper, was named editor He will be assisted by Mr Hatre and W Dobson

Ladysmith Group Selects Officers

LADYSMITH, Jan. 7.—Howard Hartley was elected president of the Ladysmith Agricultural Society for a second term at the annual meeting Other officers named were Honorary president, Lieutenant-Governor Charles A Banks, honorary vice-presidents, Hon F Putman, Hon George S Pearson, J. S Johanson, Mel Gen C. R Pearkes, V.C. M.P., Samuel Guthrie, M.L.A Mayor Leonini Rizzi, J C Stevenson and J. S Cliffe president, Howard Hartley, vice-president, Charles Richard, secretary-treasurer Rev. C. McDiarmid, directors, Mrs R R Wood, Mrs D B Cowlishaw, Mrs A Benson, Mrs. T. W Martindale, Mrs E H Perrins, Miss B Trenfield, J Pollock, Ira Smith, R Simpson, W Wilson, A McDonald, J V Dodds, G Dodd, C Rickard, T Bertram W Pettit, D. Wilson, C Williams, J. P Rimmer, Dr A T Verchere Dr D. P Hastington and W. E Wright, auditor, E. W Forward.

The financial report showed a substantial balance on hand It was reported that receipts from the Autumn fair held by the society in 1947 far exceeded those of any organized in former years Plans are now being made to hold a Fall show in September.

Taxation Roll Shows Growth

PORT ALBERNI, Jan 7.—The rapid growth of Port Alberni was indicated in the 1948 assessment roll compiled by Frank L Kitto, city assessor.

Exemptions on land were down $44,012, exemptions on improvements, down $331,120; taxable land up $97,822, and taxable improvements, up $1,214,740.

The assessment roll, including exemptions and taxable land and improvements, was $8,560,982, compared with $7,713,402 the previous year, an increase of $897,320. Taking the increase on the basis of last year's tax rate, it would mean an additional $31,386 from taxes, at a collection rate of 100 per cent.

Club to Stage Dance

LANGFORD, Jan. 7.—In order to raise funds for the purchase of recreational equipment, Langford Teen Club will hold a dance in Langford Community Hall on the night of January 16. A record player has been acquired by the club, but more equipment is needed.

Ratepayers Plan Program at Port

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 7.—An annual meeting of the Port Alberni Ratepayers' Association will be held in the auditorium of Eighth Avenue School at 8 p.m. next Tuesday. A number of vacancies on the executive resulting from election of several members to the city council will be filled, and committees for the year appointed.

Committees will also be selected to attend meetings of the city council and school board. The association will discuss a proposal to hold a joint meeting of the three district ratepayers' associations to debate matters of mutual interest.

Weather Forecasts

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with scattered showers. Winds southeast light. Little change in temperature.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with showers. Winds southwest 20 m.p.h. Little change in temperature

Langford Legion Stages Election

LANGFORD, Jan. 7. — Officers elected at the annual meeting of Prince Edward Branch No. 91, Canadian Legion, were Trevor Horton, president; Bert Leggett, first vice-president; R. H. Saunders, second vice-president, G A. Thompson, secretary-treasurer, Kenneth Robinson, master-at-arms G. Smith, L. Monigomery and C. Smith, executive, C. S. Bell, Mr Leggett and Mr. Saunders, entertainment committee.

Officers elected by the Women's Auxiliary included. Miss Frances Thompson, president, Mrs. H A. Baxter, first vice-president, Mrs. G. McGregor, second vice-president; Miss Helen Butler, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Roy Fraser, social convener.

Commencing February, the Legion will resume fortnightly card parties on the first and third Fridays of each month.

Clear 128 Vessels

CHEMAINUS, Jan 7 —C R Jarrett customs officer, reported that 128 deepsea vessels cleared from Chemainus and Crofton last year They loaded nearly 122,000,000 board feet of lumber.

CAMPBELL RIVER, Jan 7 Sister Mary Faustina has returned to Lourdes Hospital after having spent several months at Stagway Sister Mary Constantine of Victoria is visiting the hospital.

Assume Duties

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 6—Reginald Fallon was installed here as chancellor commander of the Knights of Pythias Lodge. The installation was conducted by Norman McEachern, assisted by E Hanratty, retiring grand chancellor.

Other officers installed were George Bawley, vice-chancellor, James Jarmson, prelate, Norman McEachern, master of work, William Blair, secretary, H. B. Brown, financial secretary, William Livingstone, treasurer, Arthur Anderson, master of arms, Arthur Plume, inside guard, and Ray Crogan, outside guard The retiring chancellor is John Carmichael.

Passes Suddenly At Harris Creek

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, Jan. 7—William Gellatt, 58, died suddenly on Monday at Harris Creek, 14 miles north of Port Renfrew. The deceased was an employee of the B.C. Cross Prodcuts, Ltd. and his death was caused by a heart attack He is survived by his widow and family at Vancouver. The remains were removed by Sands Mortuary, Ltd., the coarse had been completed on the long drive by Constable Robert Ross of Shawnigan Lake, who is familiar with the road. No difficulties were encountered, the road being kept open and in good condition by equipment of the B.C. Forest Products, Ltd.

Cobble Hill Club Wins Trimble Cup

COBBLE HILL, Jan. 7.—At the recent annual meeting of the British Columbia Ayrshire Breeders' Association it was announced that Cobble Hill Calf Club had won the Trimble Cup.

The trophy is awarded annually to the Ayrshire Club showing the greatest progress in the province. The award is based on work done by of the seven leading members of each club.

Highest score of the Cobble Hill group was attained by David Macfarlane, with 203 out of a possible 400 points. He also qualified for a prize as the highest scoring boy in the province in first year Ayrshire Calf Club work.

Phillip Pryd, Fairbridge, received the Trimble Cup on behalf of A. Macfarlane, Cobble Hill Calf Club leader.

Directors elected at the Ayrshire Breeders' Association meeting included C. L. Anderson, Cowichan Station; John Brown, Fairbridge, Andrew Macfarlane, Qualicum; D C Morton, Duncan, and Charles Dawson, Nanoose Bay. Mr. Morton and Mr Dawson will also serve on the executive.

Trustee Long Again Leader

DUNCAN, Jan. 7 Trustee W. J. Long was re-elected chairman of the board of Cowichan School District No 65. Standing committees for 1948 will be: Finance, Trustees Long, W

TRUSTEE W J. LONG

Bjerke and Mrs F M King; school management, Trustees A H Plows and W A Seymour, buildings, Trustees W Spencer, T. L Garner and G E Bonner; transportation, Trustees P R Leighton and A R West; rural committee, Trustees C. R West, Bonner and Mrs King; social committee, Trustee Mrs King

Regular meetings will be held on the second Tuesday of each month

Appointments to the teaching staff were made as follows M Hrynwich, Cowichan Station; F Paget, Somenos, Miss M. R Balkwill, Fairbridge, and Miss L. Davis, Queen Alexandra Solarium

It was decided not to open additional rooms at Sylvania and Cobble Hill Schools

Travelling expenses will be allowed school representatives attending school board meetings at the rate of $10 per annum, plus $3 for each meeting attended.

The school management committee will enter into negotiations with the Teachers' Federation regarding salary relations. The teachers are asking for a 30 per cent raise across the board.

Port Alberni Notes Building Total High

PORT ALBERNI, Jan 7.—The city closed 1947 with a larger building total than in 1946 Building Inspector W P Venables reported that in December permits totalled $171,550, which brought the total for the year to $1,465,200, against $1,358,400 in 1946.

Appoint Clerk

CAMPBELL RIVER, Jan 7 Arthur W Robinson has been appointed full-time clerk of the village of Campbell River, and a temporary municipal office has been opened above the fire hall. Gordon C. Hulme served as part-time clerk after the village was incorporated last Spring

Report Steelhead

CAMPBELL RIVER, Jan. 7—Steelhead fishing is reported excellent along the Quinsam River Game Commissioner Rex Hayes, who recently visited Campbell River, recommended local anglers to renew their fishing licences

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MR. A. W. JONES

Canada Roof Products Limited, Vancouver, announces the resignation of W. D. Gray, effective December 31. Mr Gray founded Canada Roof Products 26 years ago and has since been the company's inspiration. He will devote his time to the formation of a new company to be engaged in the distribution of building materials and allied lines throughout Western Canada.

Mr A W Jones has been appointed manager of Canada Roof Products Limited, Vancouver. Prior to and immediately following the war, Mr Jones was employed in various technical and sales capacities by a large Canadian oil firm. He returned to Canada as commanding officer of the 6th Field Company of Vancouver after more than five years' service overseas with the Royal Canadian Engineers He held the rank of Major and while overseas was commanding officer of the 20th Canadian Field Company, R C E

Mr. Jones is a graduate of McGill University, a member of the Canadian Legion, past president of the Port William Gyro Club, past vice-president of the Winnipeg Gyro Club and a former member of the Canadian Mining and Metallurgical Association

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Hard of Hearing Club Listens With Ease

Group of Hard of Hearing Club members, 1416 Douglas Street, are seen using very modern and equipment to enable them to listen to Speaker George Lowe who addressed club on lighthouses and radio stations of the Pacific Coast last night. Hearing aids are supplied to 700 with volume controlled by individuals

Camp Columbia Reunion Recalls Vacation Days

Pitch, annual reunion of campers and staff who attended "Camp Columbia" on Thetis Island during July and August last year, was enjoyed last week-end by 150 young people and adults who gathered in the Christ Church Cathedral Memorial Hall.

Camp Columbia is owned and operated by the Anglican Church of the Diocese of British Columbia.

Greetings to the camp members from Bishop Cameron, who visited Camp Columbia on Thetis Island during July and August last year, were extended by Miss Georgianna King of Kansas City, Missouri, and Rev. L. Graham of Ottawa, who were visitors at the camp during the Summer.

The week-end program was arranged by a committee under the direction of Mrs. C. C. Guthrie, with Rev. Canon Michael Coleman as chairman.

The reunion opened last Saturday evening with a short message of welcome by Canon Coleman, followed by a few reminiscences of camp days by various members. The evening closed with a short service of Campfire lead by Rev. Dr. H. N. Crew.

On Sunday morning the campers attended corporate communion, followed by breakfast under the direction of Mrs. L. Goodwin.

Mayzes Again Heads Legion

S. James Mayzes has been re-elected president of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion by acclamation.

Closing of nominations Tuesday night revealed that only Mr. Mayzes name was presented. H. Ralph Berthear was returned as first vice-president, and K. I. Leeming was the only nomination for second vice-president.

C. Wallace was returned as finance officer, and W. Graham as chairman of the membership committee. H. Clear was the only nomination for the post of sergeant-at-arms and H. Scott as padre.

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Attention. — Shareholders of the Victoria Shipyard Workers' Building Co-operative Association. The annual general meeting will be held on January 8, 1948, at 7.30 p.m., in the Boilermakers' Hall, 805 Government Street.

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Victoria Roller Canary Show, January 17, 1948. $100 in cassettes to show prizes. Roller canary ten, January 18, 1948, 3 p.m. Tickets on sale at Pet Shop and Pacific Feed Store

An Exhibition of Paintings by Crown and Elizabeth Coward, January 8 to 17, Prince Robert House daily from 11 till 5.30. Also Thursday evenings, 7 till 9.30

Don't miss "Channelling Children's Emotions," lecture by Dr. J. M. Ewing, Thursday at 7.30, Victoria High School Library. Admission Victoria 50 cents

Women's Canadian Club, Friday, January 9, 2.30 p.m. Empress Hotel Ballroom. Speaker — Mrs. Tilly Rosenau, M.L.A. subject "Impressions of Postwar Europe"

Dr. R. E. Cranston, veterinary surgeon, wishes to announce that he is now practising at 1271 Union Street until completion of hospital at 2094 Douglas Street. Phone G 1251

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Kindergarten, Children, aged 3 to 5, reopens Monday, January 5. Miss Moore, 1465 Fort. E empire 1642

Twilight recital by Musical Art Society at First Baptist Church, Sunday at 3

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Little Trace Found of Packer Sunk Outside Port; Crew Safe

The 62-foot Vancouver packer Loval I which was reported in trouble early Wednesday morning about two miles from Victoria has been presumed by naval officials and last night.

Efforts to locate the vessel were abandoned yesterday afternoon after the navy ship Glendale had scoured the waters in the vicinity where the vessel first got into difficulties.

The crew was rescued from a dinghy two and one-half hours after

ARTHUR J. P. KAIN

fill the seat in the Legislature made vacant by elevation to Supreme Court bench of Hon. Norman W. Whitaker.

Mr. Ash thus became the third Liberal candidate to offer his name for selection at the forthcoming Saanich nominating convention.

Also in the running for Liberal nomination are R. M. Lewis, immediate past president of Saanich Liberal Association, and Saanich Councillor J. L. Hobbs.

Mr. Ash, who came here in just one-half years ago after serving in Canadian Army, was formerly Ottawa City Council's youngest alderman. He served on that council for eight years.

Ash Makes Bid For Saanich Coalition Vote

Arthur J. P. Ash, elected by acclamation as president of Saanich Liberal Association late last year, yesterday threw his hat in the ring for Coalition nomination for Saanich by-election, February 23, to

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Brothers High In Examinations

Two brothers, both R.C.A.F. personnel, stood high in the Christmas examinations at Victoria College. Their marks were only fractions apart.

William H. Lewis who served in the R.C.A.F. from 1941 until 1945, specializes in bio-chemistry. His marks were 89.1 per cent.

Samuel A. Lewis served with the R.C.A.F. from 1942 until 1945. His average was 89.4. He is studying for law.

The brothers attended Mount Douglas High School, and after their discharge from the service took matriculation at the Victoria College special classes. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lewis, 3134 Kingsley Street, and were born in Allan Sask. They came to Victoria with their family in 1934.

Thieves Enter Club Building

Victoria West Lawn Bowling Club house was broken into early yesterday morning, according to a report to city police from C. Fry, 223 Roberts Street.

Police and entry was made by breaking a window on a door and turning the latch from inside the premises. Thieves used a small axe to break into 26 lockers but nothing was reported stolen. Police believe it to have been the work of juveniles.

DIES AT CAMPBELL RIVER

CAMPBELL RIVER, Jan. 7 — Funeral services for the late Joseph Ouimette 64, who passed away suddenly on December 29, were held in Sutton's Funeral Parlor last Sunday. Rev. W. Fitzgerald officiated. Graveside services were conducted by Campbell River Branch No. 127, Canadian Legion. The late Mr. Ouimette was born in Quebec and came to Campbell River ten years ago.

Kennedy Lake Reserve Ends

Dating back more than 20 years when plans were being considered to harness waterpower at Kennedy Lake, east of Tofino, land reserves on Kennedy Lake foreshore, Kennedy River, and Mill Bay arm of Tofino Lake were cancelled by Provincial Government order yesterday.

Similarly, reserves placed in 1920 on unrecorded water of Kennedy Lake and its tributaries in Alberni water district also were lifted.

Action was taken in view of the fact that hydro-electric power development projects at Kennedy Lake have long since fallen through. It now seems the way for logging operations in that area.

BORN AT CAMPBELL RIVER

CAMPBELL RIVER, Jan. 7.—A survey at Campbell River and district showed that no babies were born on Christmas Day, but on New Year's Day a son was born in Lourdes Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Lesesque.

New Pythian Officers Are Installed

H. Lindstrom was installed Chancellor Commander of Capital City Lodge No. 61 and P. Manser of Victoria West Lodge No. 1 at the Knights of Pythias installation ceremonies Tuesday night.

Grand Chancellor R. G. Topping installed the officers and gave a short summary on juvenile work being done in the United States and in British Columbia by the organization.

Other officials placed in office for the Capital City Lodge were: A. Pengelly, vice chancellor; C. Peddie, prelate; H. H. Stevenson master of works; W. Jones, master; D. Ross, financial secretary; F. W. Ritson, secretary; R. Twigg, master at arms; C. Irwin, inner guard, and F. Robinson, outer guard.

Officers of the Victoria West lodge were: B. Wheatcroft, chancellor; E. Rice, prelate; D. McDowell, master of works; M. Bell, treasurer; G. Hawkins, financial secretary; H. Carmichael, secretary; J. C. Beach, master at arms; W. Brisbey, inner guard and C. Smith, outer guard.

Following the ceremonies refreshments were supplied for refreshments.

RAINHAM Kent, England (CP) — A new heating system was decided upon as a war memorial by members of a church here.

Will Expand Waterworks

Authority for Terrace village municipality to expand its waterworks system to service unorganized areas within two miles of village boundaries was granted by Provincial Government order yesterday.

Certificate of public convenience and necessity, on recommendation of Public Utilities Commission, limits area of water to unorganized areas to a maximum of 10,000 gallons daily.

Province Names Four Engineers

Provincial Government, by order in Council signed yesterday approved the four representations to council of Association of Professional Engineers, to hold office for one year.

They are Dr. Hartley Burgess, Victoria Mines Department, chief engineer; N. M. McCallum, Vancouver, chemical engineer; W. G. Richmond, University of British Columbia, mechanical engineer, and Prof. J. E. Lersch, Powell River, steel engineer.

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PASCO ORANGE AND GRAPEFRUIT JUICE Large tin 25c
LYNN VALLEY PEACHES — 28-oz. tin 29c
CORN—Cream style, Steckley's fancy 2 tins 45c
KARO SYRUP—Rich in dextrose, maltose and dextrin 2-lb. tin 26c
SUGAR—Granulated 5 lbs. 47c — 10 lbs. 93c
RAISINS—Seedless Sultanas 2 lbs. 31c
ORANGES—New navels, thin skins. 2 doz. 49c
GRAPEFRUIT — Thin skin, Tasty 5 for 23c
APPLES—McIntosh Red, Okanagan fancy. Lb. 10c
LEMONS — Juicy California Dozen 39c
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H.M.C.S. Warrior Leaves Halifax for Britain

Well known to Victoria, H.M.C.S. Warrior, pride of Royal Canadian Navy, pictured above, left Halifax yesterday for Britain via Bermuda. Crew will be transferred to new carrier Magnificent, to be taken over by Canadian Navy in April.

Halifax Bids Farewell To Departing Warrior

Marine News

The 18,000-ton aircraft carrier Warrior, the Royal Canadian Navy's capital ship, left Halifax yesterday for Britain via Bermuda.

Under command of Commodore H. G. DeWolfe, the Warrior will arrive at Portsmouth on March 31.

Crew of the famous vessel will then be transferred to the new carrier Magnificent, to be taken over by the Canadian Navy in April.

Victorians remember the Warrior when she proceeded majestically into Esquimalt harbor in December, 1946. Thousands of persons lined Dallas Road and the Brity at Esquimalt to witness the ship's approach.

The great ship—of war was accompanied by the cruiser H.M.C.S. Uganda, and the destroyer H.M.C.S. Crescent, having come from waters of Mexico and California after training exercises. The ship's squadron gave a fine flying exhibition. They were later based at Patricia Bay.

The Warrior stayed in Victoria that Winter.

Halibut Fishers Meet

Regulations for the 1948 halibut fishing season will be considered at the International Halibut Commission opening a three-day meeting today in Seattle.

Representatives of fishermen and fishing vessel owners will attend from British Columbia, Seattle and Southern Alaska.

Commission members expected to attend are Edward W. Allen, Seattle, president; G. W. Mickerson, Prince Rupert, B.C., secretary; Milton C. James, Washington, D.C., and A. J. Whitmore, Vancouver.

One of the suggestions reported to be coming before the commission is a fisherman's proposal for a later opening date on the halibut banks.

Notice to Mariners

Mariners are advised that the Second Narrows, Vancouver Harbor, will be closed to all waterborne traffic during the following hours:

January 19—11.45 a.m. to 2.30 p.m.; January 18—12.30 p.m. to 7.15 p.m.; January 14—1 p.m. to 6 p.m.; January 15—1.45 p.m. to 8 p.m.; January 16—2.30 p.m. to 10 p.m. and January 17—8 p.m. to 11.15 p.m.

The announcement was made by W. L. Stanford, agent, Department of Transport.

DICTIONARY NEEDED

MIDDLESBOROUGH, England (CP) — A court adjourned a charge for three days until definition of a word used in the case was clarified by reference to the Oxford Standard dictionary.

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In From U.K.

Royal Mail Liner St. Loch Ryan arrived last night at Ogden Point docks with a general cargo from the United Kingdom.

George Paulin, shipping agent and the vessel's cargo included cars, automobiles, liquor and household effects.

The Loch Ryan will start unloading at 8 a.m. today and leave for Vancouver in the afternoon.

Clears Debris

The Royal Canadian Navy tug Cheakamus Tuesday cleared a large mass of debris about six miles off Sooke, a Victoria Harbor Board shipping.

A second mass of debris, which was also to have been dispersed by the tug was scattered by Tuesday night's storm.

The messages were reported to Esquimalt by a U.S. warship.

Fishing Craft

A total of 69 vessels of five net tons or more received their first documents as fishing vessels in the United States during last November, compared with 68 in the same month the previous year. It was reported yesterday by the United States Fisheries Department.

During the first 11 months of 1947 a total of 1,220 vessels received their first documents as fishing craft, compared with 1,018 for the same period in the previous year.

During the 11 months of 1947 the State of Washington led in the documentation of fishing boats with a total of 308. Other leading states were California with 143, Louisiana with 139, and Florida with 104.

Frigate First

The frigate H.M.C.S. Prince Rupert, one of 15 former Canadian warships recently bought by a Victoria-Vancouver syndicate for scrapping and reconversion, will leave Birdwell Bay, near Vancouver, for Victoria this morning in tow of the tug Champion, of Island Tug & Barge Ltd., it was learned yesterday.

The frigate, one of 14 included in the recent deal with War Assets Corporation, will be brought to Ogden Point docks, where scrapping work will commence immediately.

The 15th vessel involved is the former R.C.N. minesweeper H.M.C.S. Border Cities.

TORONTO, Jan. 7 (CP) — Net income of Argus Corporation, a holding company, for the year ending November 30, was $806,689, compared with $415,670 the previous year.

Says Labor Code Planned in Quebec

QUEBEC, Jan. 7 (CP) — Premier Duplessis today told a delegation representing the Quebec Provincial Federation of Labor that a labor code is proposed for Quebec.

The Premier did not specify that the labor code project would come before the Legislature session starting next week but he indicated the question was under study and that labor organizations would be consulted before it was given effect.

DOUBLY TRAGIC

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE, England (CP) — Police Constable William Dunn, who has safely guided thousands of school children across a busy thoroughfare here, saw his own son killed by a bus.

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